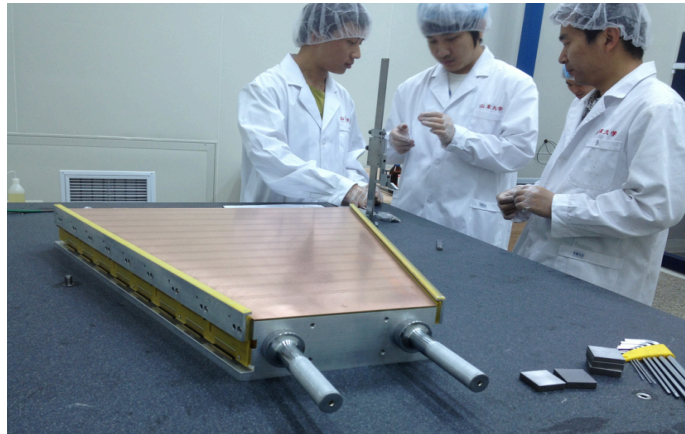


MWPC production plan and resources

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Outline:

- **Scope of effort with project**
- **Funding and man-power**
- **Facilities & laboratory**
- **Prototype work done**
- **Time scale of production plan**
- **Risks and mitigation**

Scope of effort with project

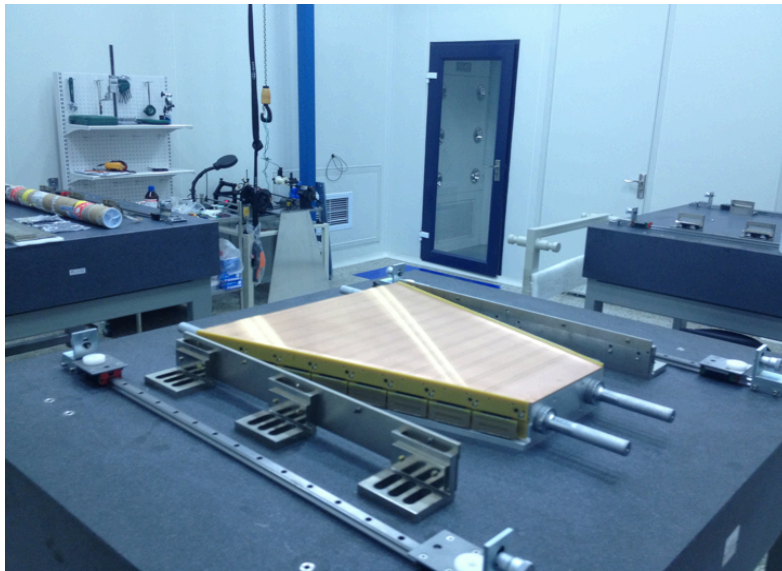
- **Prototype of iTPC sector**
- **28 wire plane production**
- **Assembly of 24+3 sector (after pcb bonding at LBL)**
- **Sector test (uniformity, efficiency, linearity)**
- **Ship the 24+3 sectors to BNL**

Funding & manpower in China for iTPC

- 6.5M RMB (~1M \$) support in total from China for MWPC :
 - ✓ 2M RMB from MoST 973 key project for high energy nuclear physics (2014-2018)
 - ✓ 3M RMB from NSFC key project for international cooperation (2016~2020), approved Sep. 2015.
 - ✓ 1.5 M RMB in-kind contribution from Shandong University.
- Manpower & institutions:
 - ✓ SDU: 2 faculties+ 1.5 engineers + 3 students+1(3) technician
- assembly, testing
 - ✓ USTC: 1 professor+1 postdoc - testing
 - ✓ SINAP: 1 professor+1 postdoc - calibration

MWPC- iTPC laboratory at SDU

- New building in 2000 for ATLAS Thin Gap Chamber (TGC). Produced 400 modules of high quality TGC for ATLAS during 1999-2004.
- The lab is $\sim 400\text{m}^2$, recently refurbished. New clean room built for iTPC project.
- Cosmic ray test system available for detector test.



Clean room with granite table



Cosmic ray test system

Wire winding for MWPC at SDU

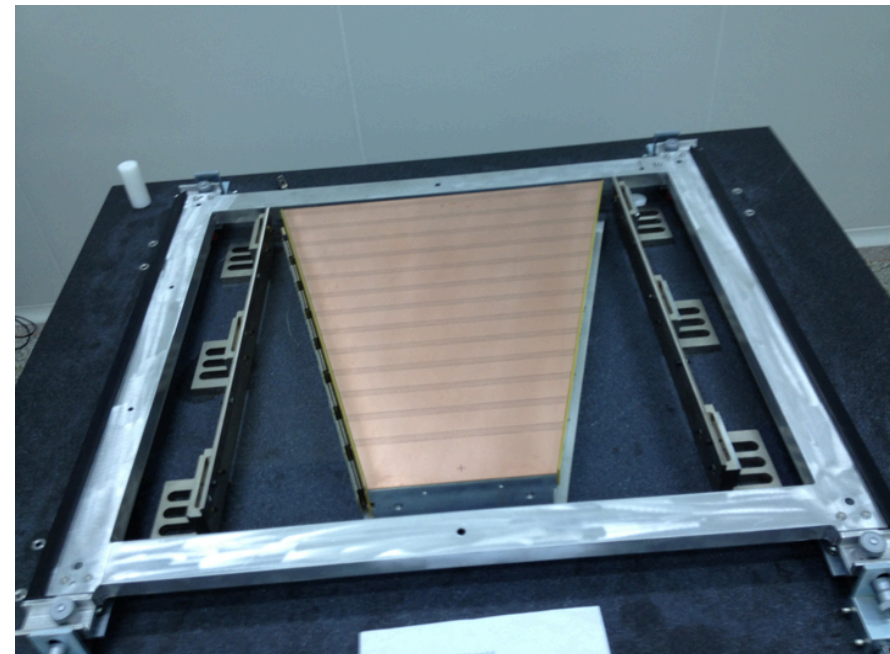
- Three layers of wire for iTPC MWPC:**

- Wire pitch and tension controlled by winding machine, originally from Israel. New machine, upgraded from previous.

Wire	Diam. (μm)	Pitch (mm)	Composition	Tension (N)
Anodes	20	4	Au-plated W	0.50
Anodes— last wire	125	4	Au-plated Be-Cu	0.50
Ground plane	75	1	Au-plated Be-Cu	1.20
Gating grid	75	1	Au-plated Be-Cu	1.20

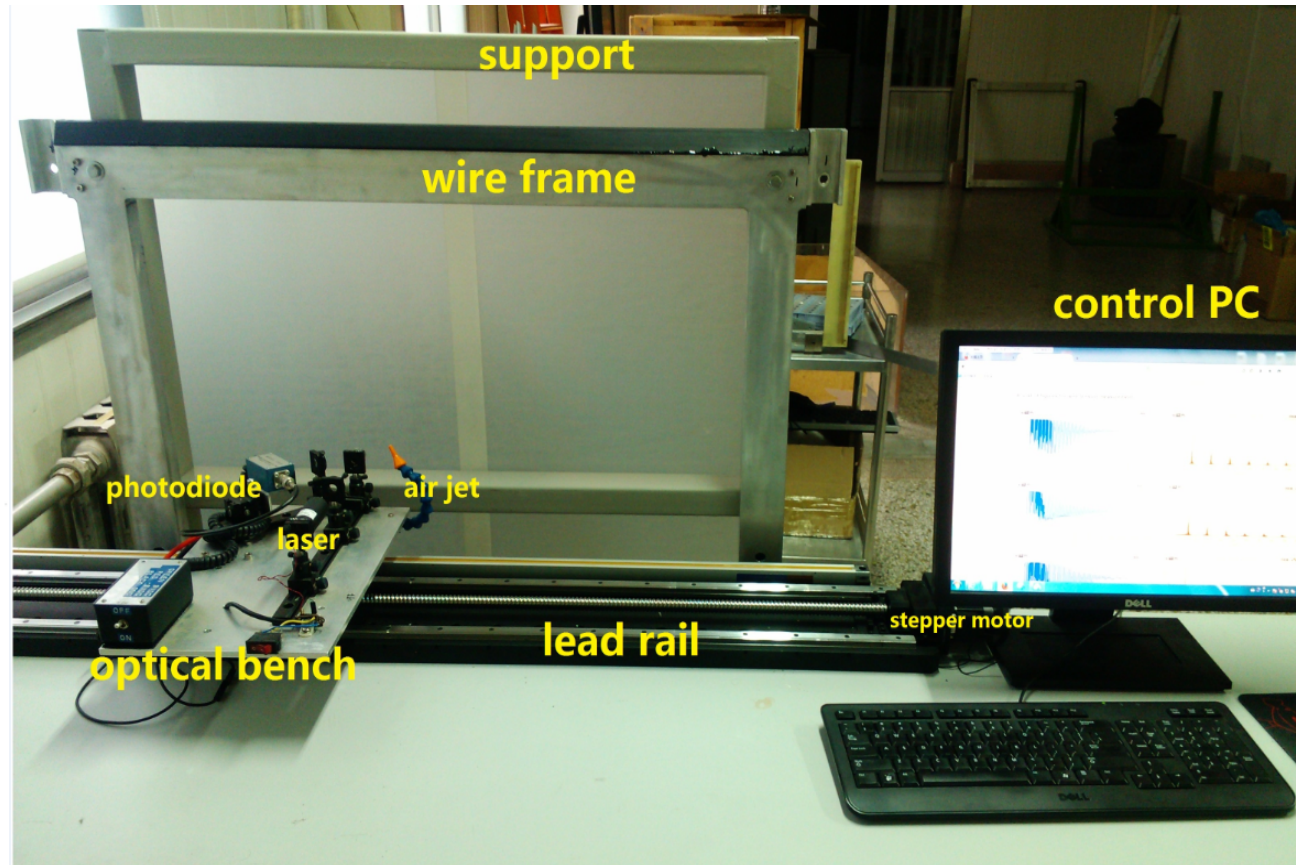
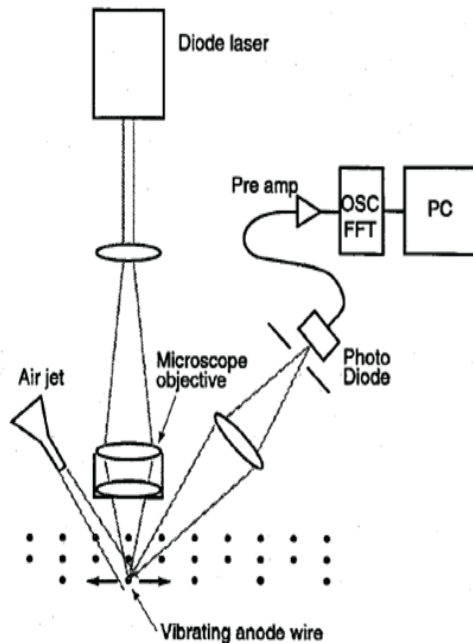


Wires first wound on frames, and then will be used for 3 layers of wire plane with wire combs, to keep height and pitch precisely ($\sim 10\mu\text{m}$).



Wire tension measurement system

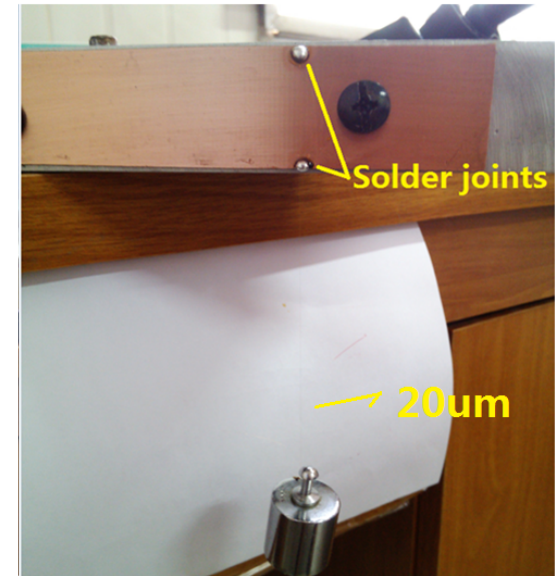
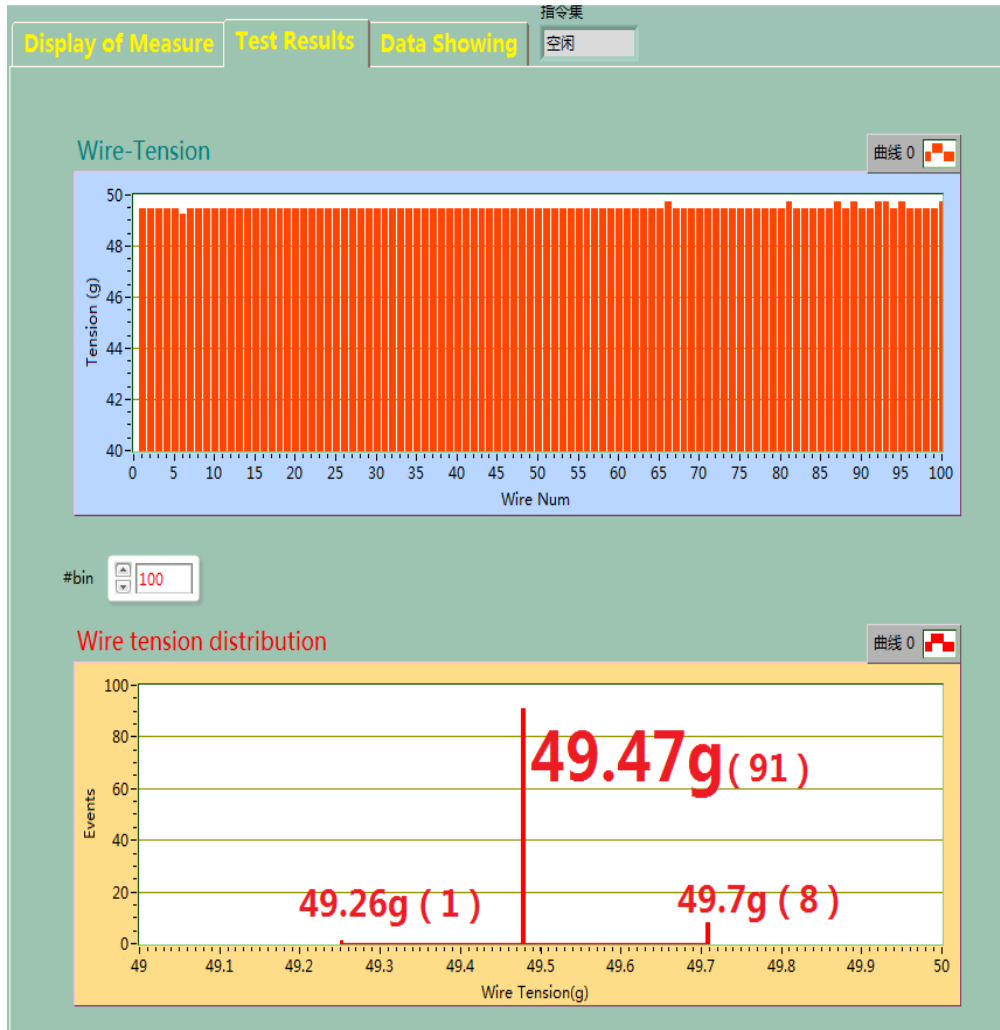
- Determine wire tension by optically measuring the vibration frequency:



Laser scan each wire, synchronized with gas jet, and the base frequency will be extracted from voltage fluctuation transformed of laser absorption.

Wire tension measurement system

- Cross-check of the method with fixed tension wires:



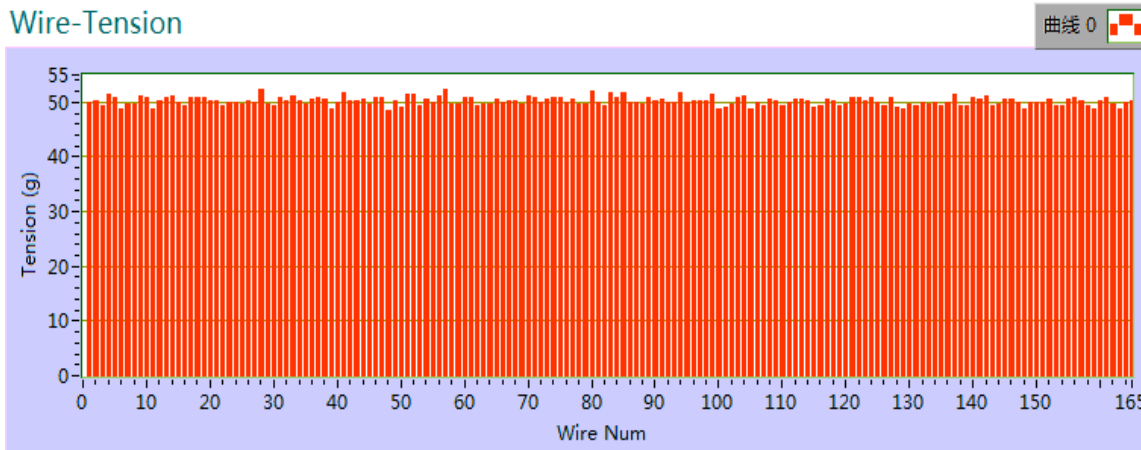
Fixed tension for checks

Measurement with fixed tension:
($<2\%$)

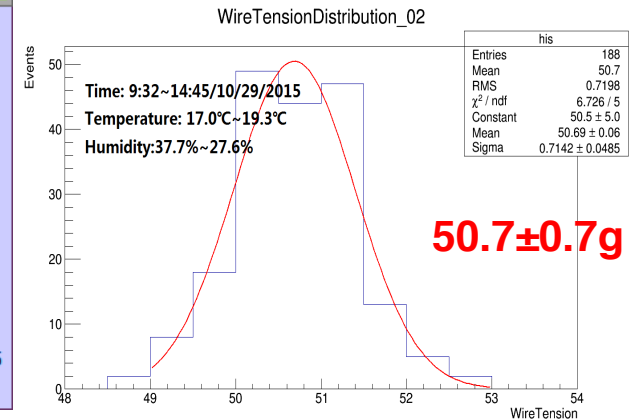
Wires	1	2	3
50g	49.5g	50.8	50.6
60g	60.9	60.6	60.4

Wire tension measurement –Test frame #1 (20um)

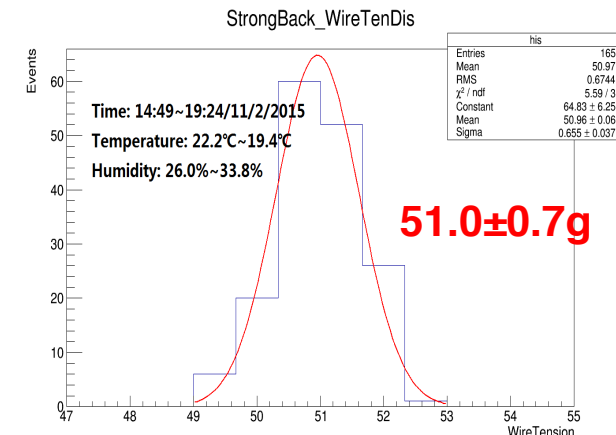
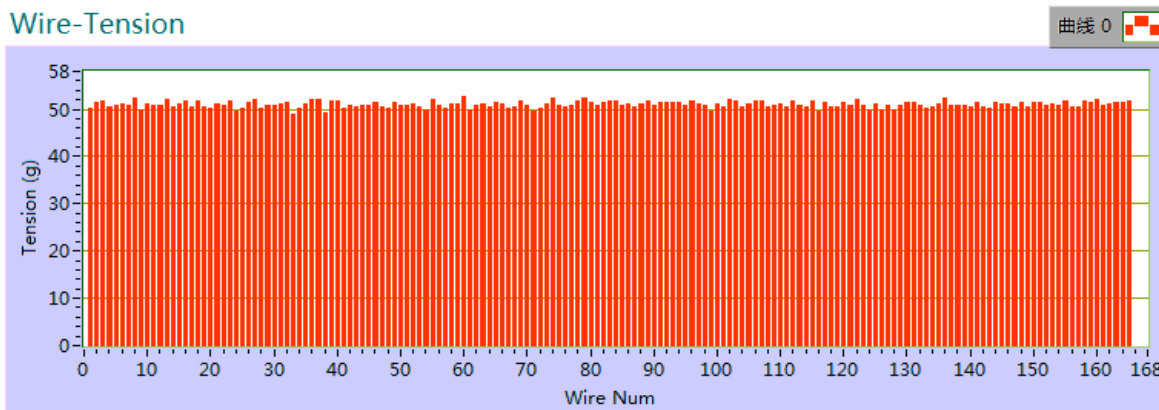
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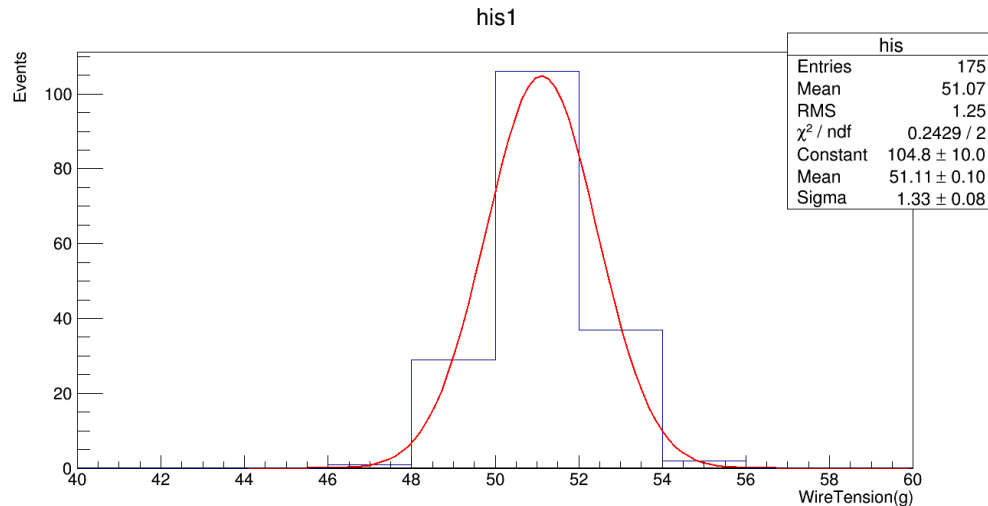


- Measured tension of 165 wires after glued on anode wire mounts:



Wire tension measurement –Test frame #2 (20um)

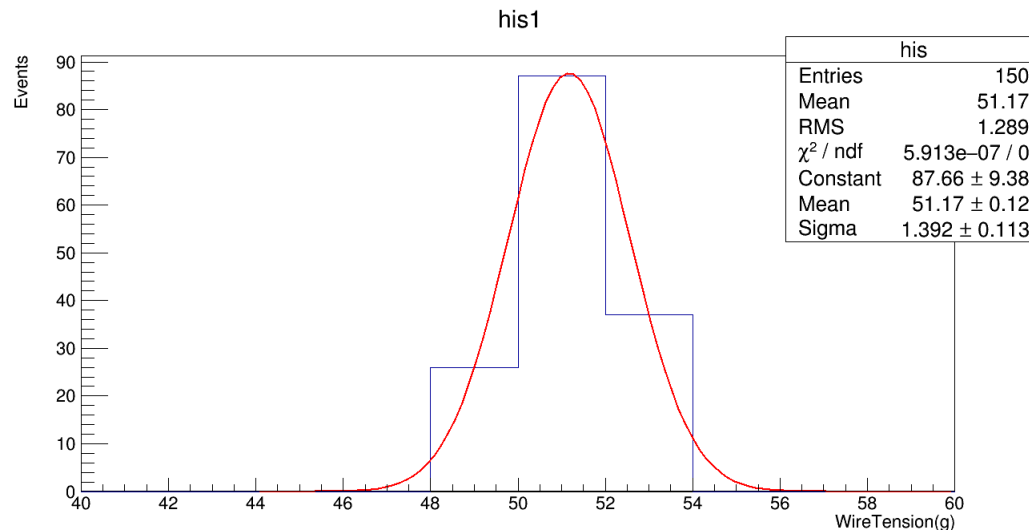
- Measured tension of 175 wires on wire frame:



Required to be $0.5 \pm 0.05\text{N}$
(51 \pm 5gram)

51.1 \pm 1.3g

- Measured tension of 165 wires after glued on anode wire mounts:

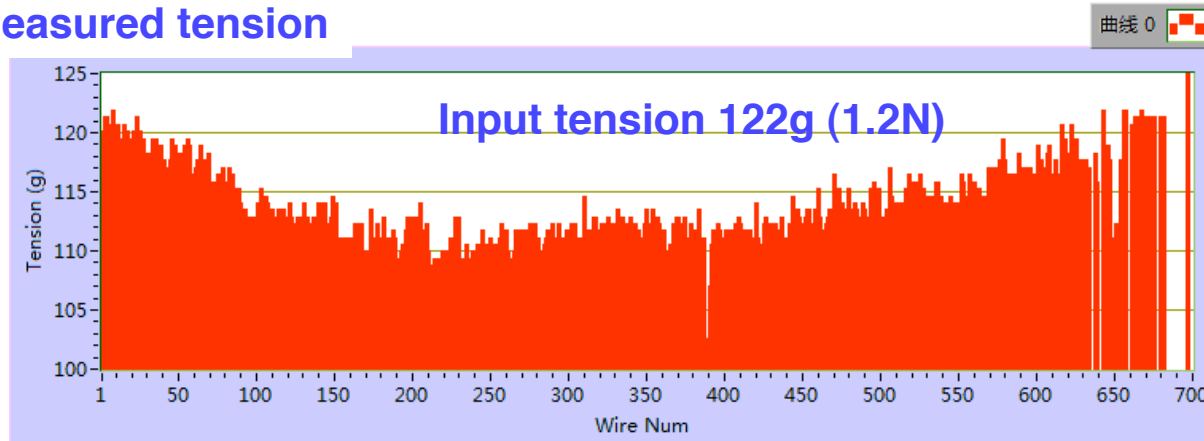


51.2 \pm 1.3g

Wire tension distribution for 1.2N BeCu Wire frame

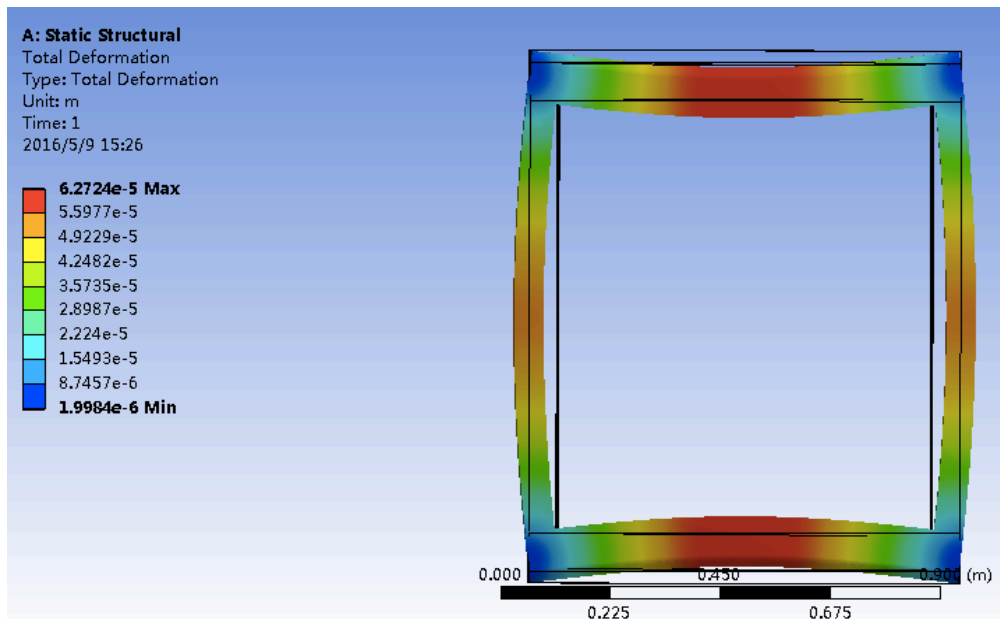
- Tension drop due to deformation of wire frame (similar as original one):

Measured tension



Total load ~80Kg

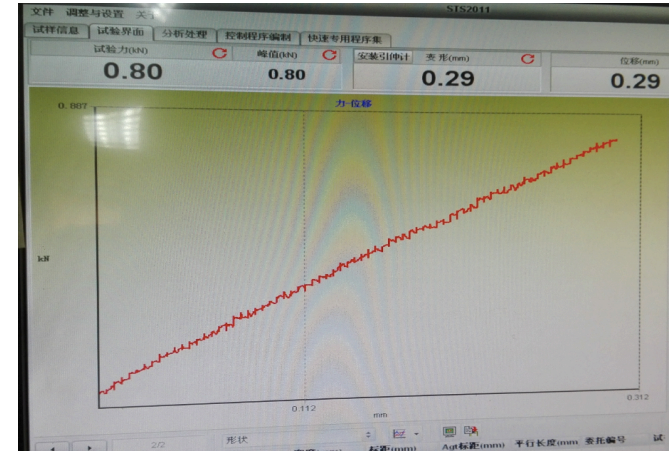
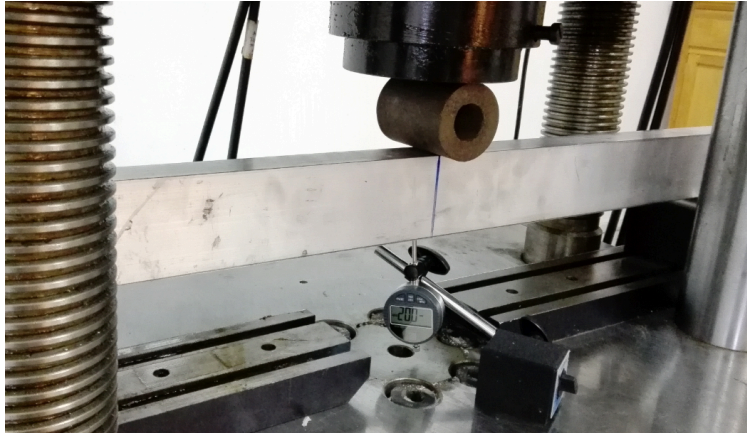
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Consistent with
distortion
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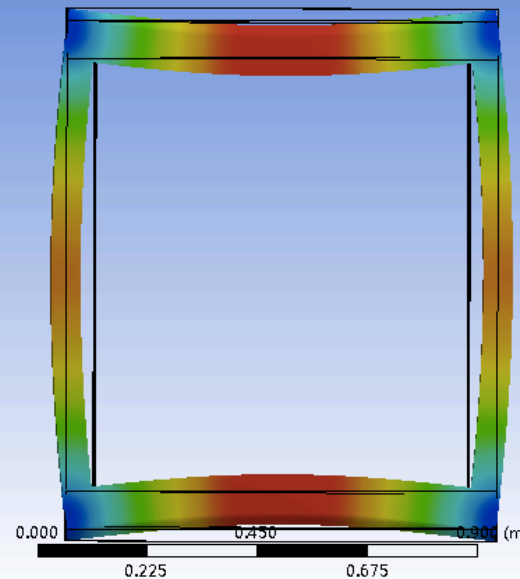
- Measurement of distortion:



- ANSYS simulation

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Type: Total Deformation
Unit: m
Time: 1
2016/5/9 15:26

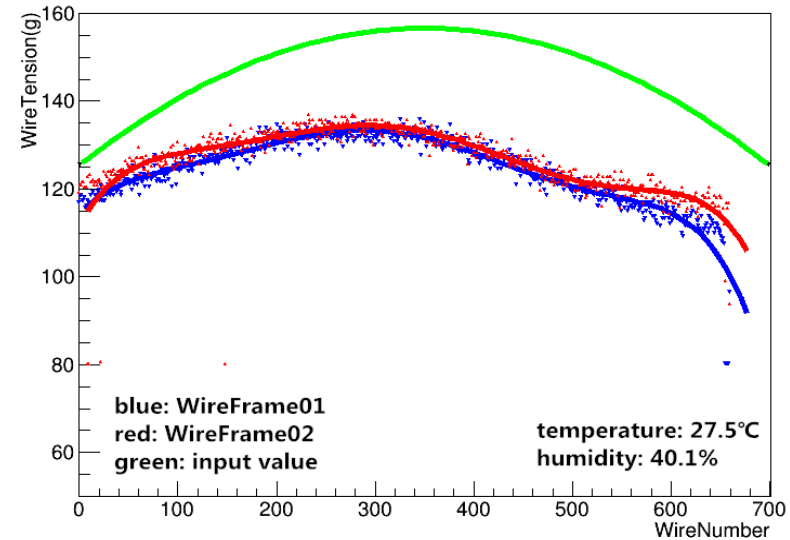
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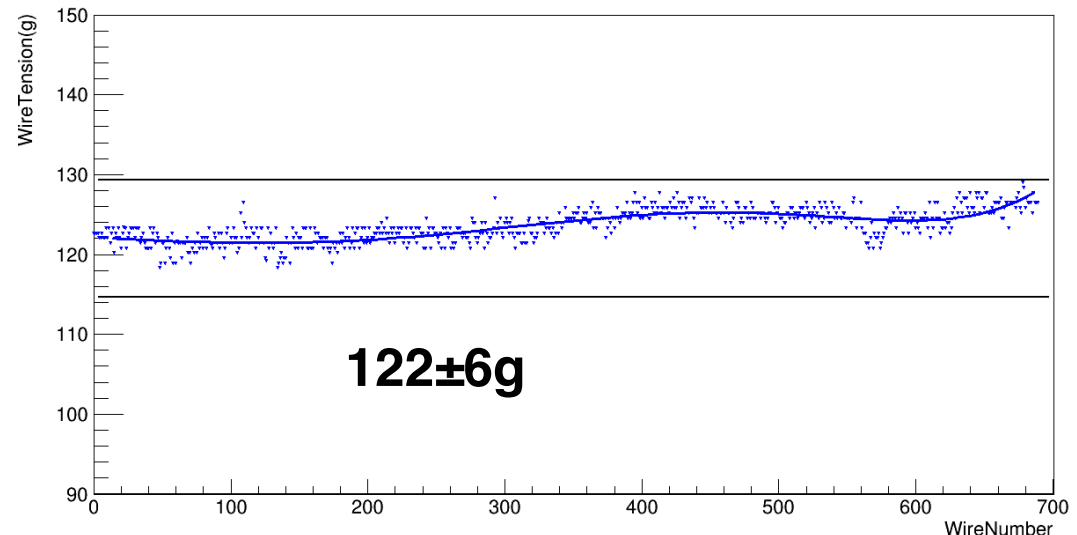
Wire tension distribution for 1.2N BeCu Wire frame

- Programming on the tension for each wire while wire winding after including the distortion effect for BeCu wire plane -an example



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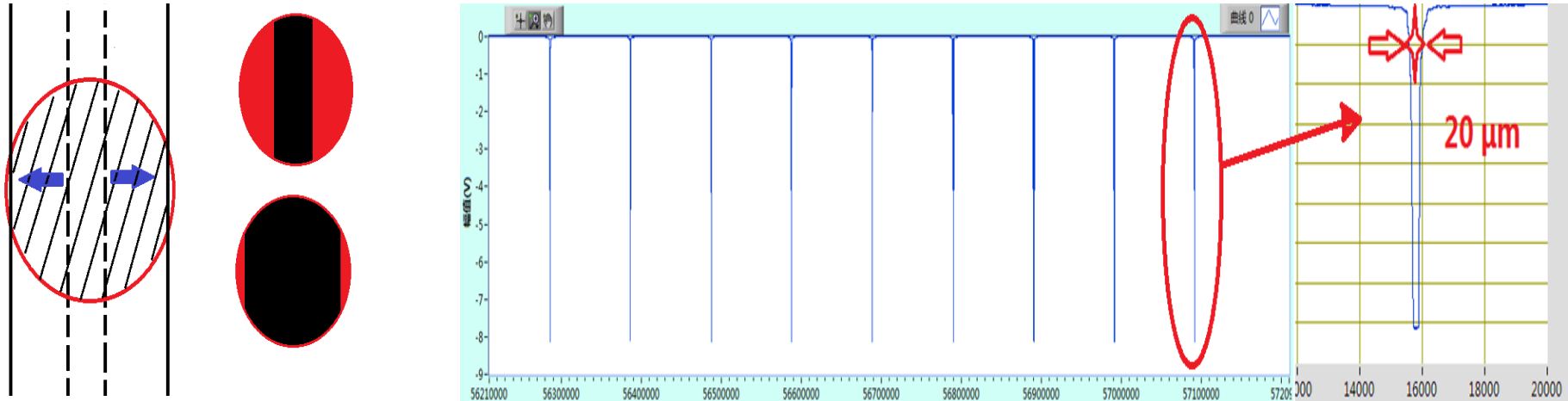
- Obtained the desired tension by tuning the input curve on tension:



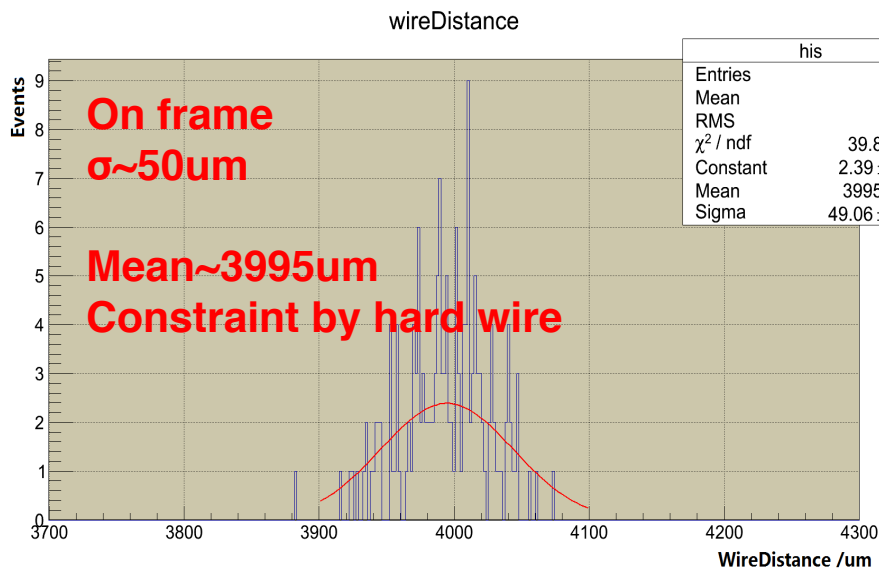
-122±6g is consistent with traveller and STAR TPC in 1990's

Measure the pitch of wires using the same laser system

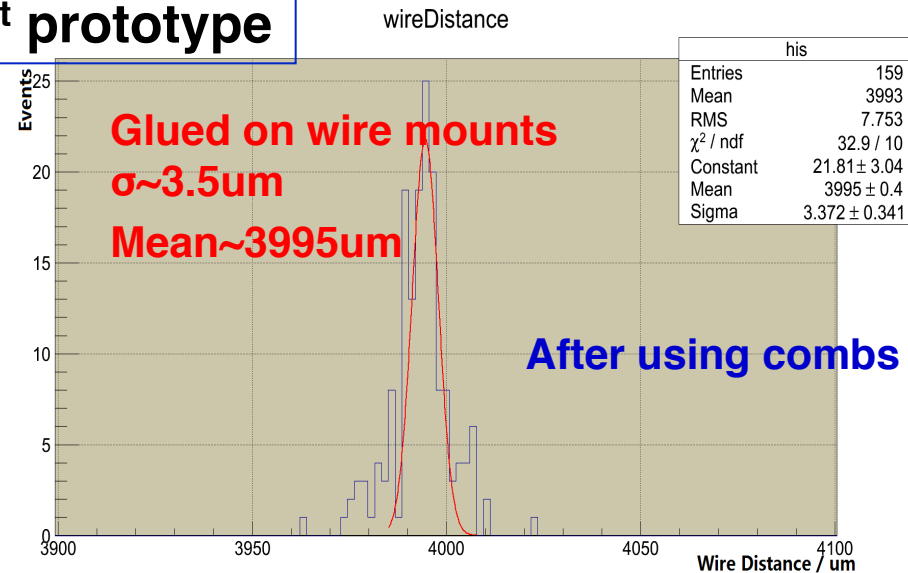
- Focusing the laser on each wire, width of response is the wire diameter



- Distance between wires :

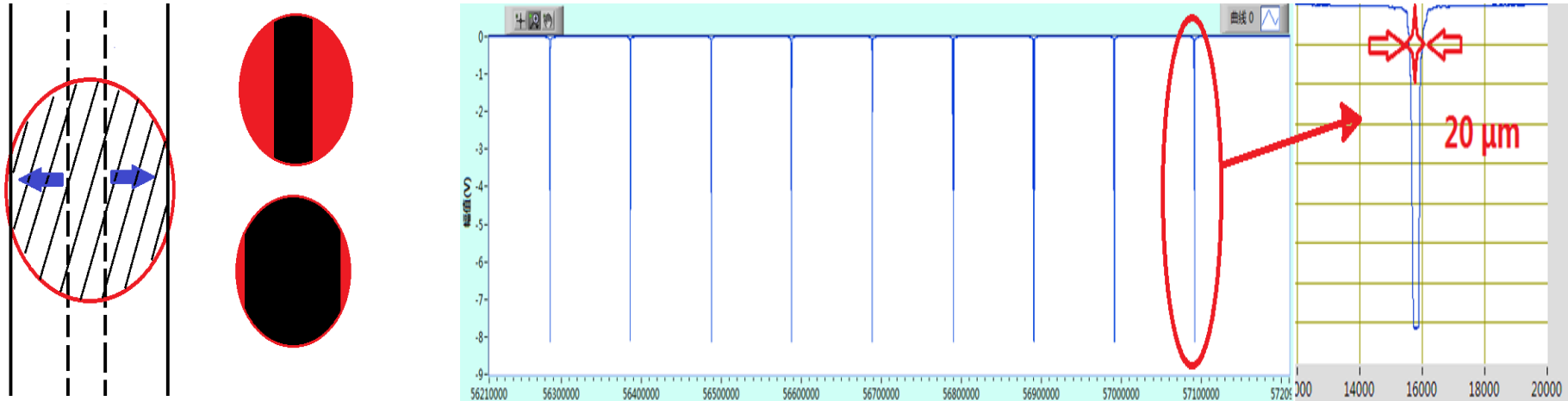


1st prototype

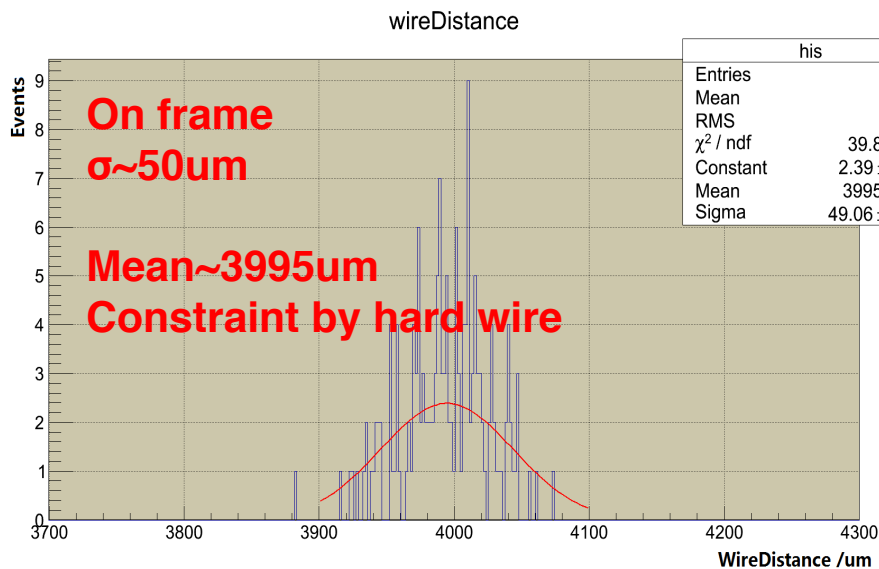


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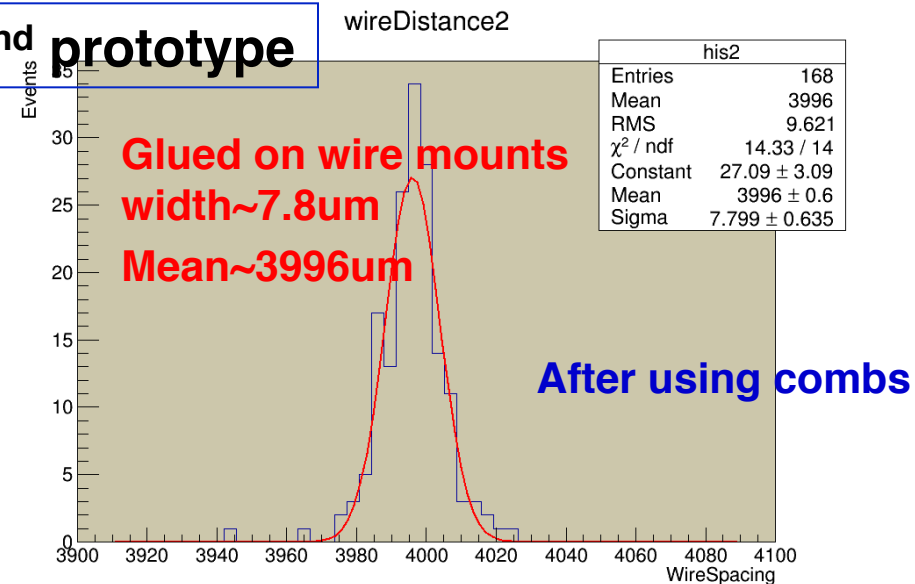
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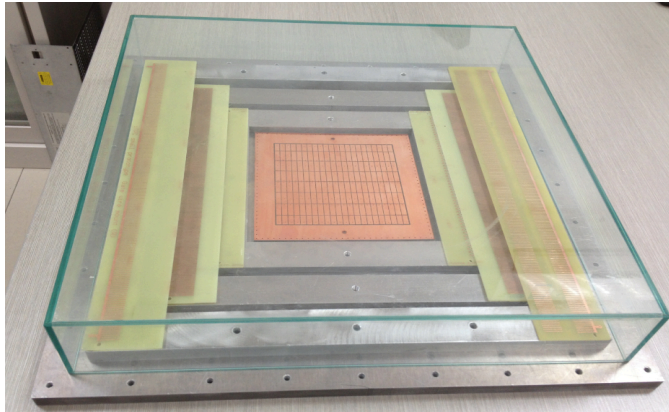


2nd prototype

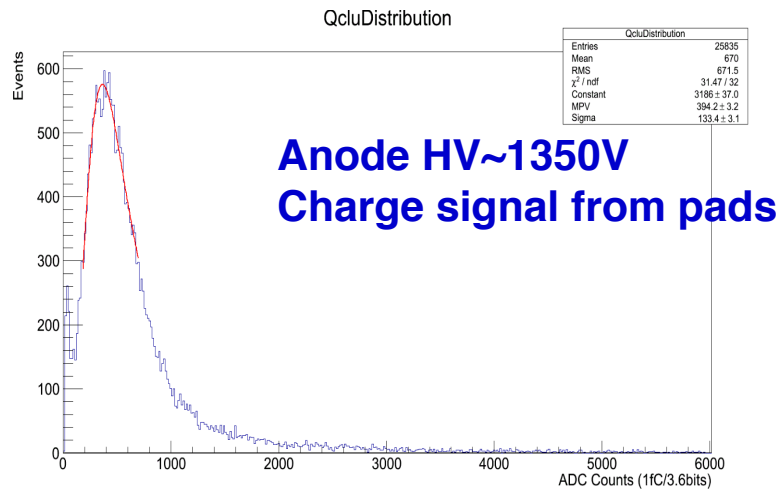


Began with small MWPC prototype

- Small MWPC prototype made at SDU July 2014; Tested with cosmic ray system:



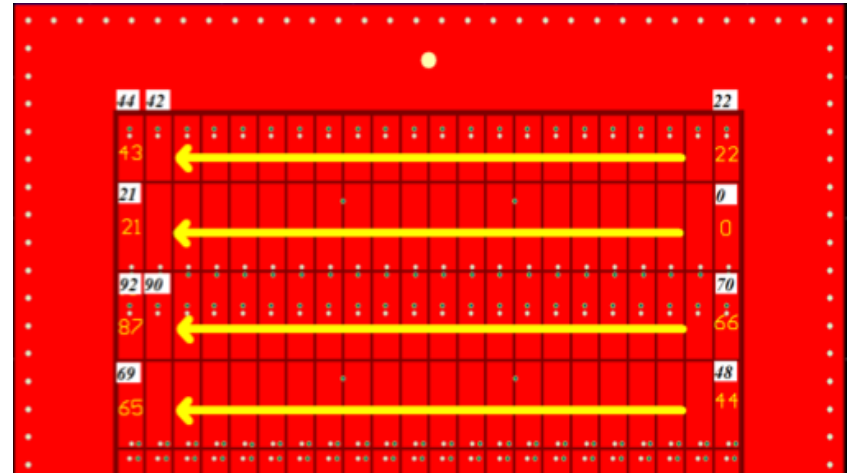
Small TPC prototype



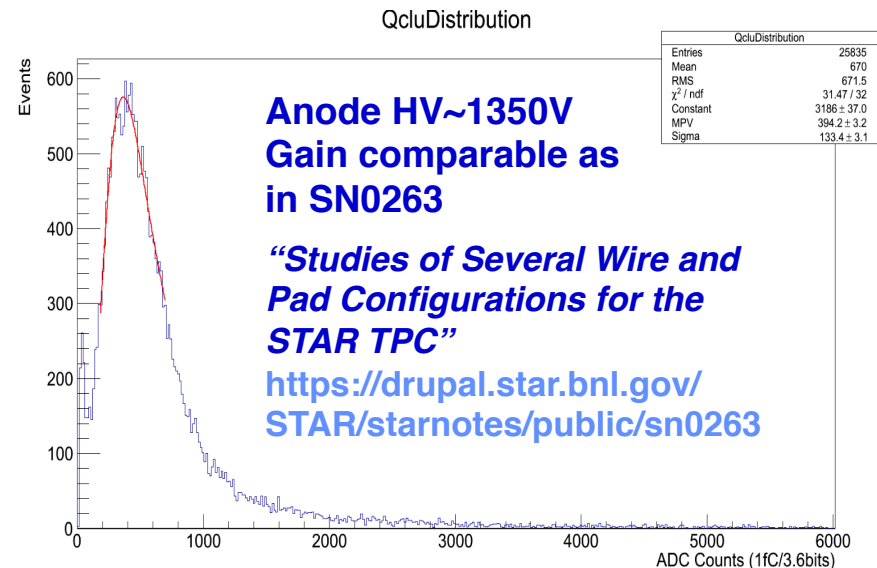
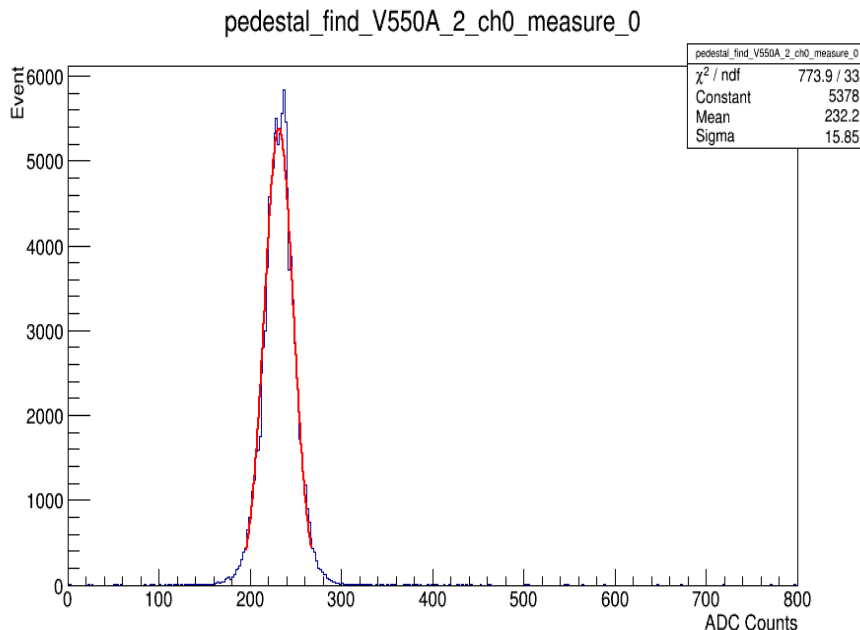
Cosmic ray test system

Test results of small MWPC

- Read out the charge of 88 pads of 176 in total with simple electronics (one V550A board).
- Pedestal seen for the charge of single pad

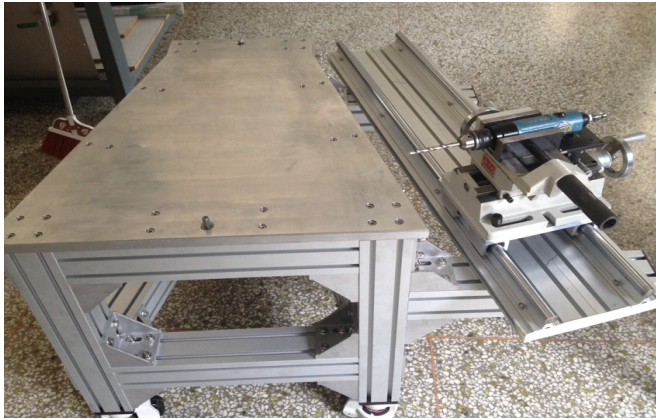


- Signal after subtracting pedestal

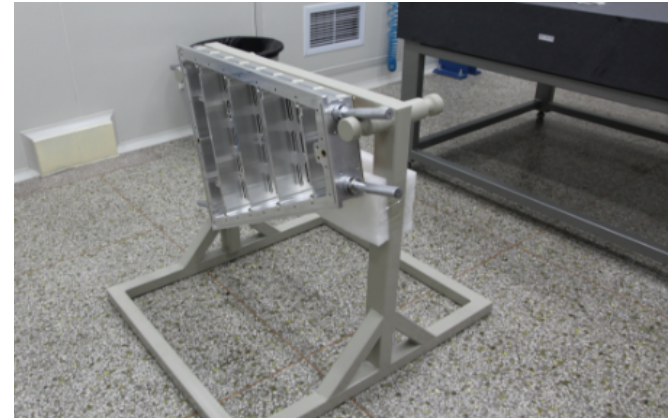


Tools & fixture for full size prototyping

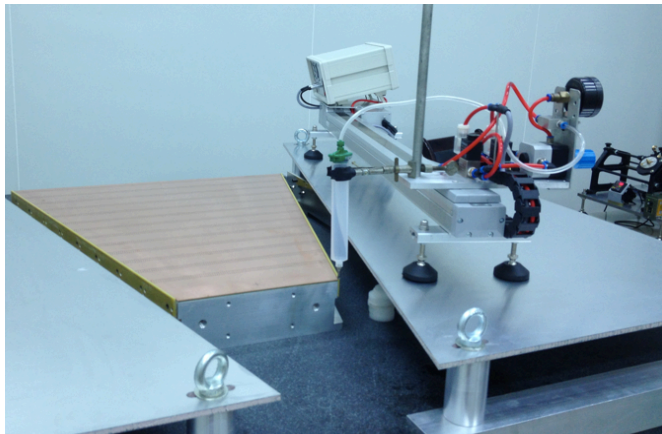
- Started the full size iTPC prototyping since September 2014. Several tools haven been made since then.



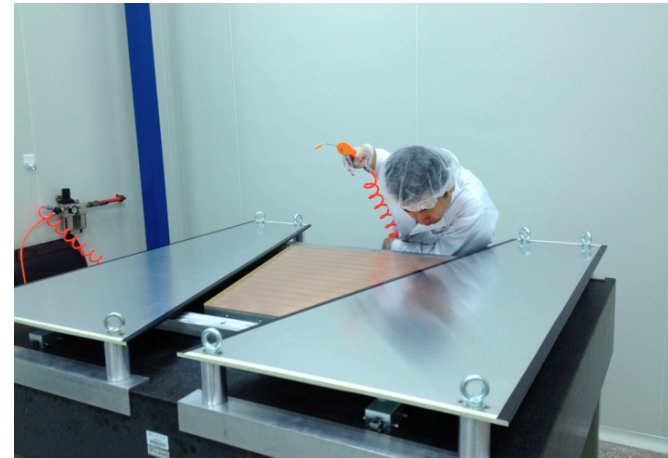
Drill/pin fixture



Gluing stand (anode WM)

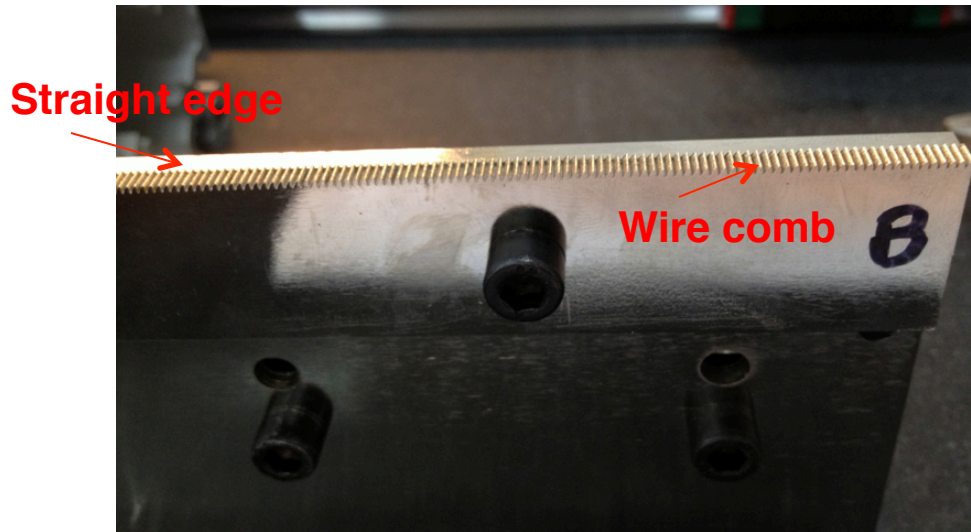


Gluing machine



Protecting cover

Wire combs to keep wire pitch and height

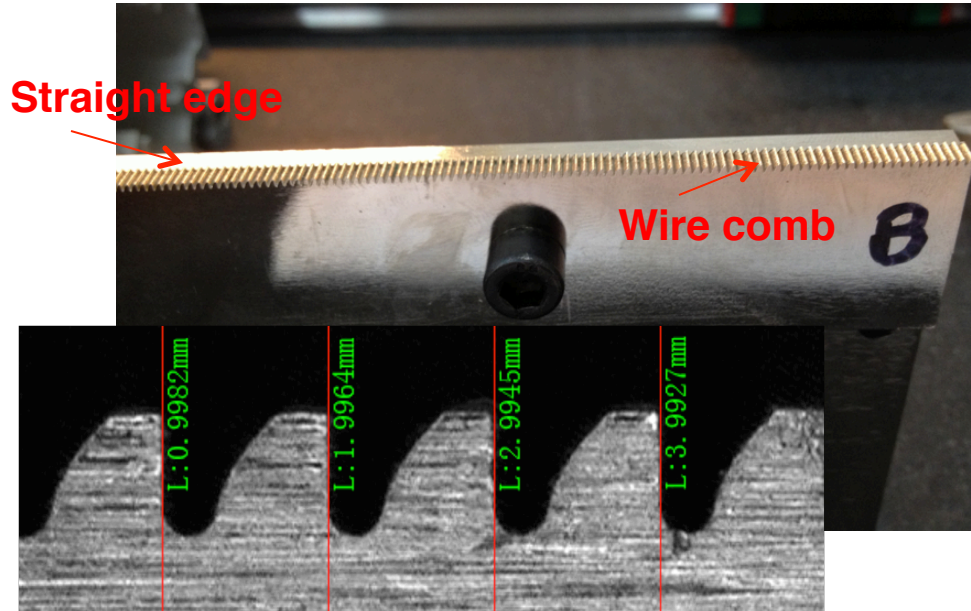


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- The flatness of straight edge should be $<10\mu\text{m}$.
- The combs produced by LBL will be used.

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- Lowering down the frame to let the wire just touch the comb straightedge using micrometer head.

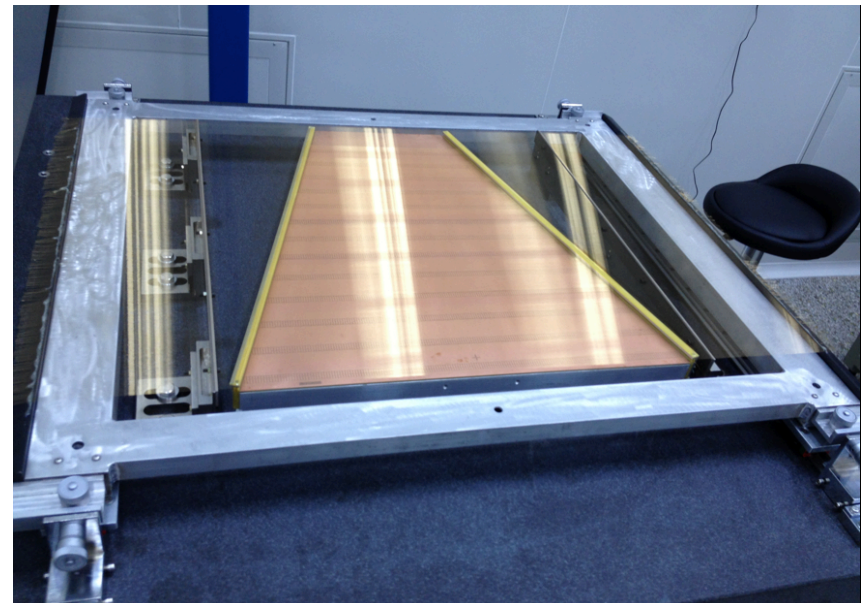
**Height standard ($\sigma < 10\mu\text{m}$)
(from granite table):**
Pad plane : 86.550mm
Anode Wire: 88.540mm
Shield Wire: 90.513mm
Gated wire: 96.513mm

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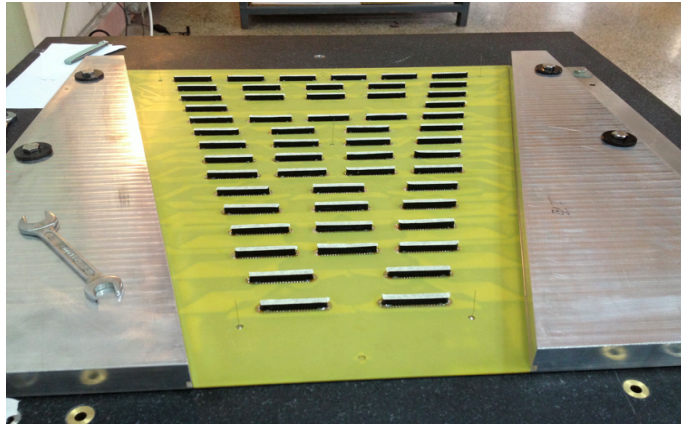
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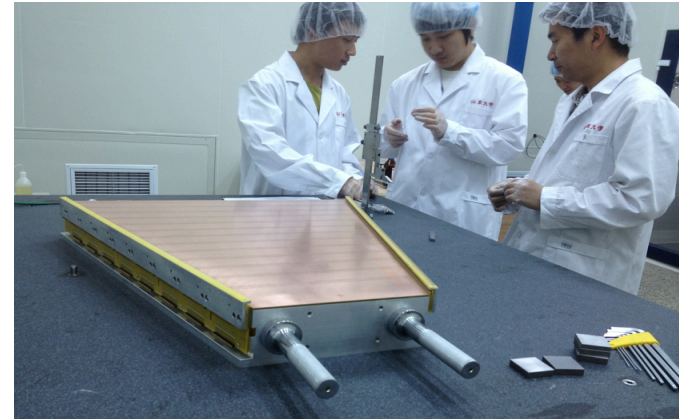


Full size iTPC prototyping

- Gluing pad plane to strongback, install 3 side wire mounts:



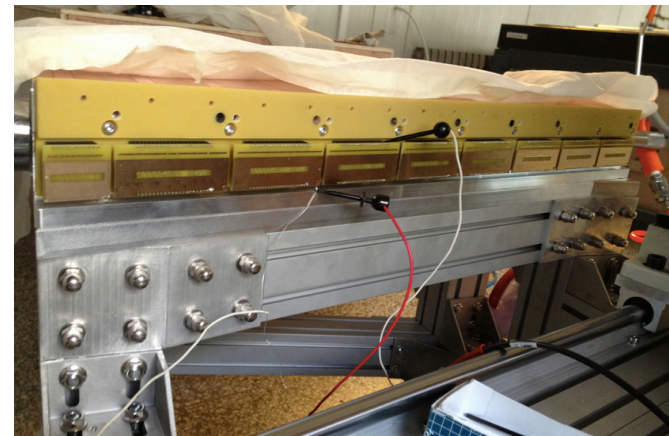
PCB bonding



Side wire mounts

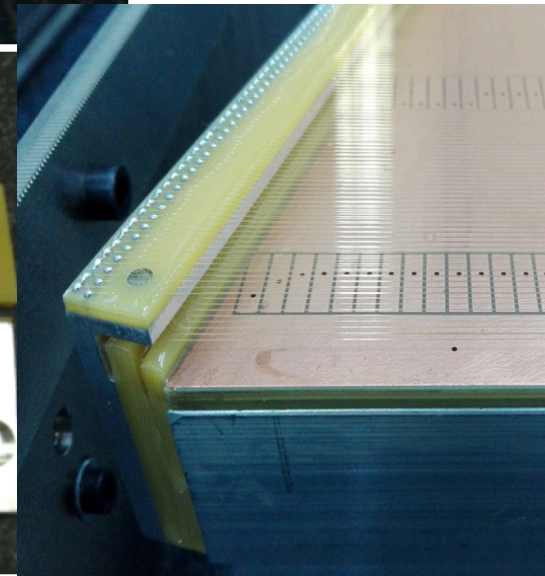
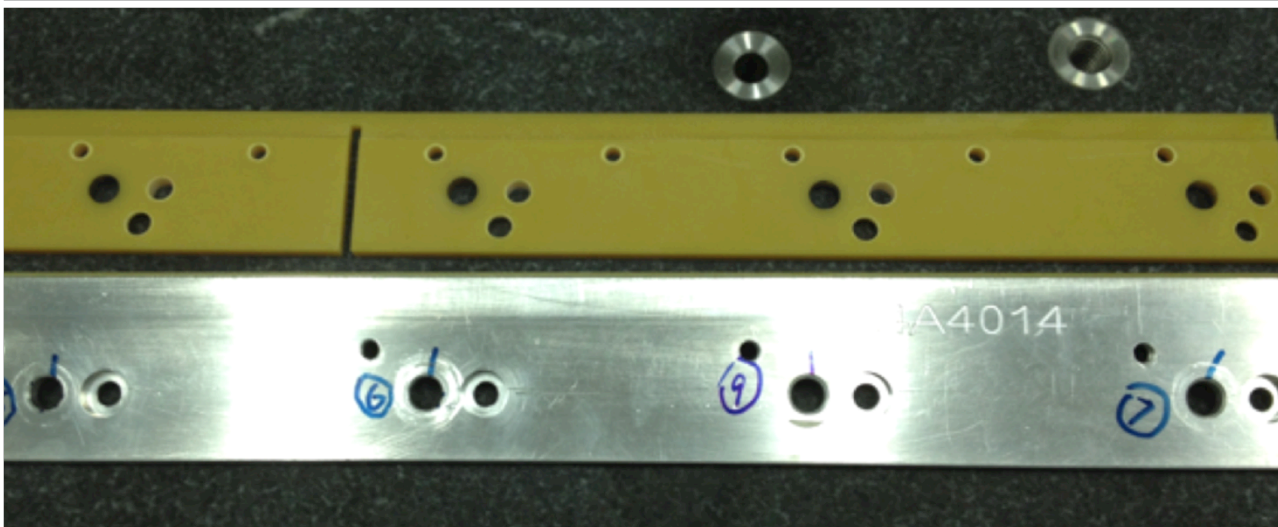
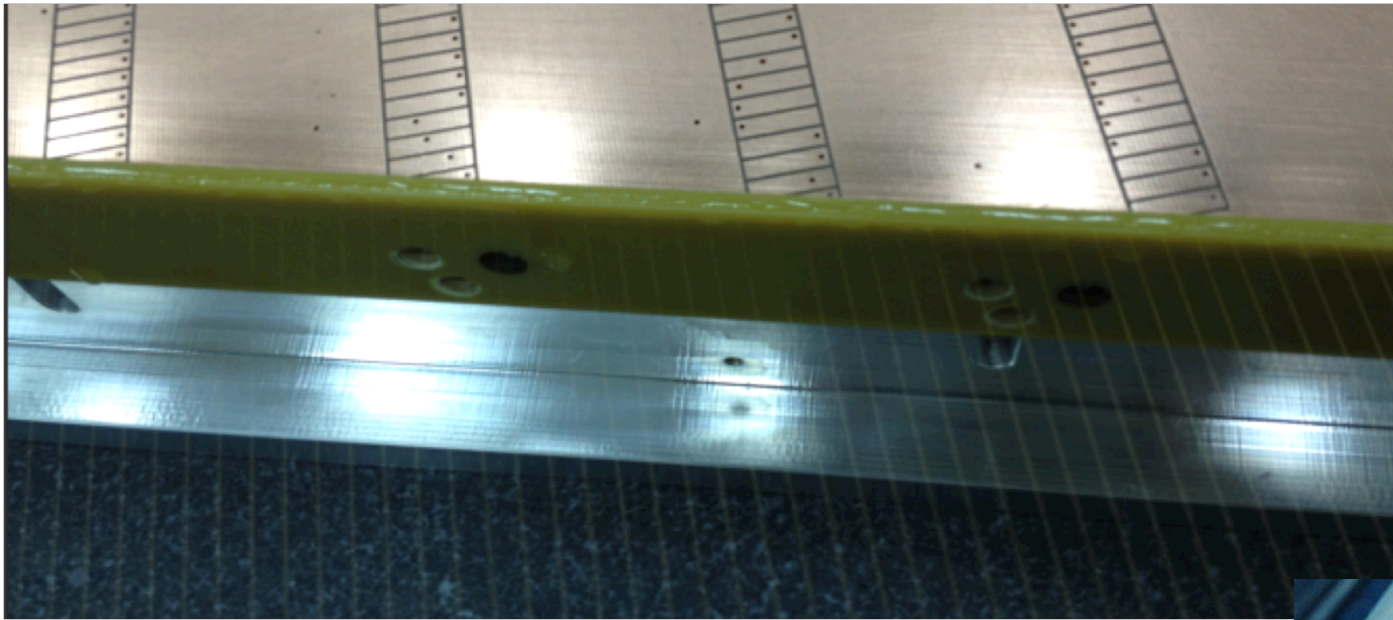


Pining the wire mounts



Leakage current, continuity, open test

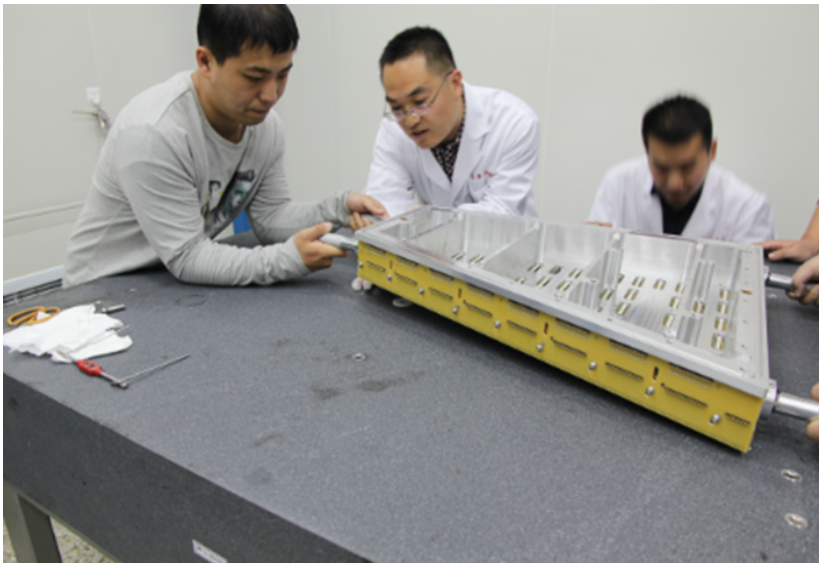
Side wire mounts to hold the wire plane



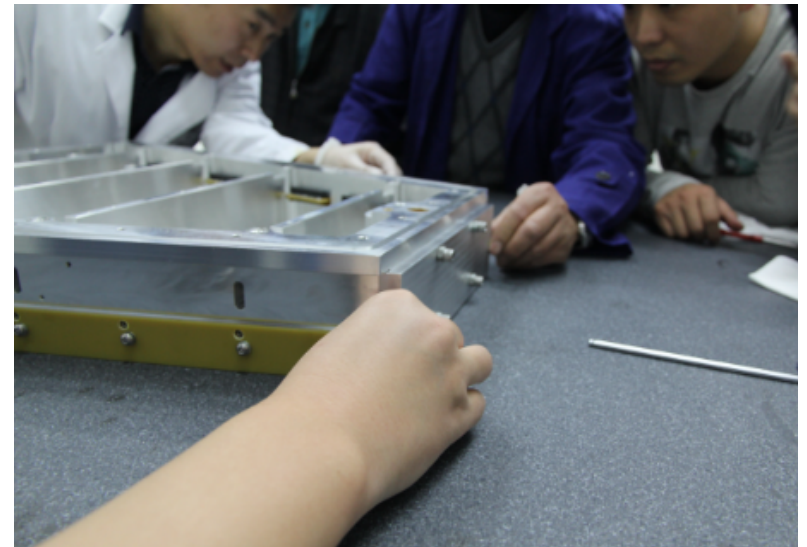
-Anode wire mounts glued, Shield & gated wire mounts installed with pin and screws

Install side wire mounts

Put the strongback on granite table over 4x1.85mm (3.85, 9.85) spacers, pad plane facing down.

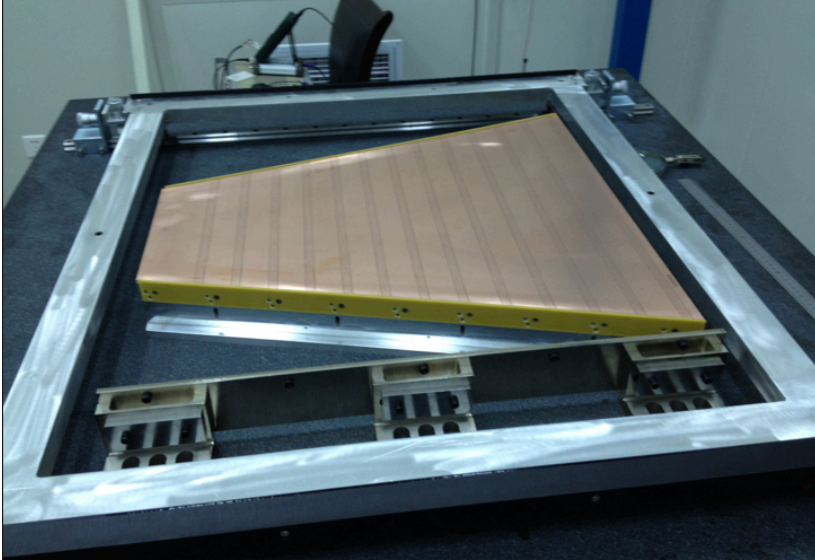


Push the wire mount against the mount stop, and resting flat on the granite table, while tightening the screws



Use 0.05mm strip to check the space between table and mounts, $<50\mu\text{m}$.

Mounting the anode wires

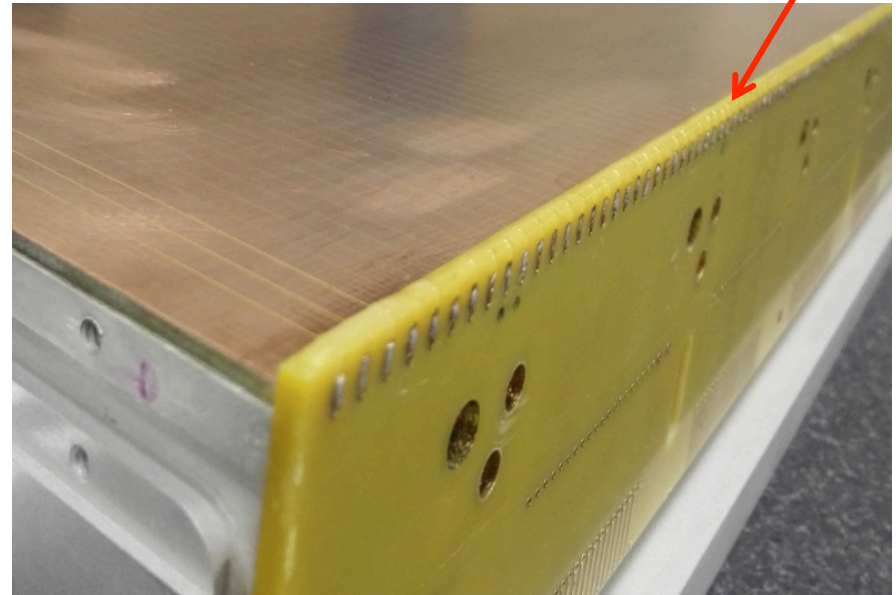


164 20um W wire
6 “fat” wire to lower the gain
on the edge

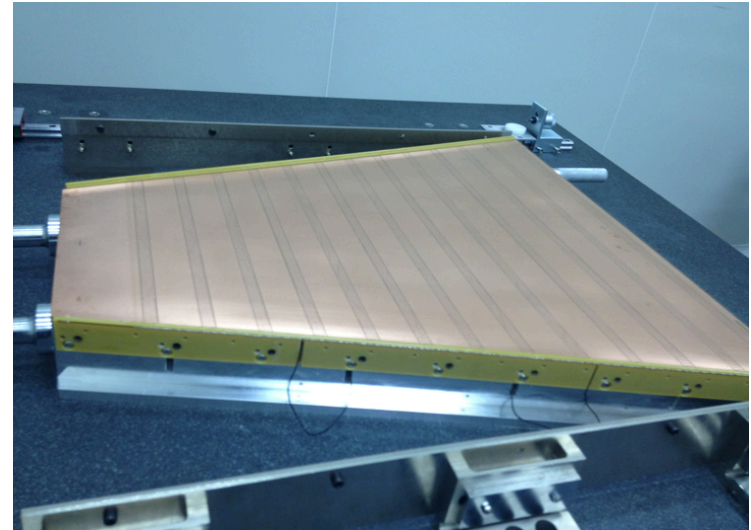
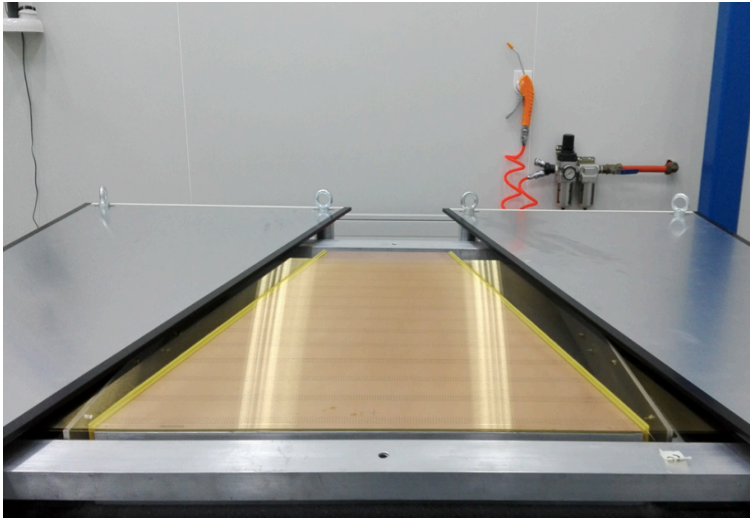
Epon 826 /Versamid 140 (3/2)
40 h to cure

Modern recipe:
Araldite 2011-/AB (5/4)
24h to cure

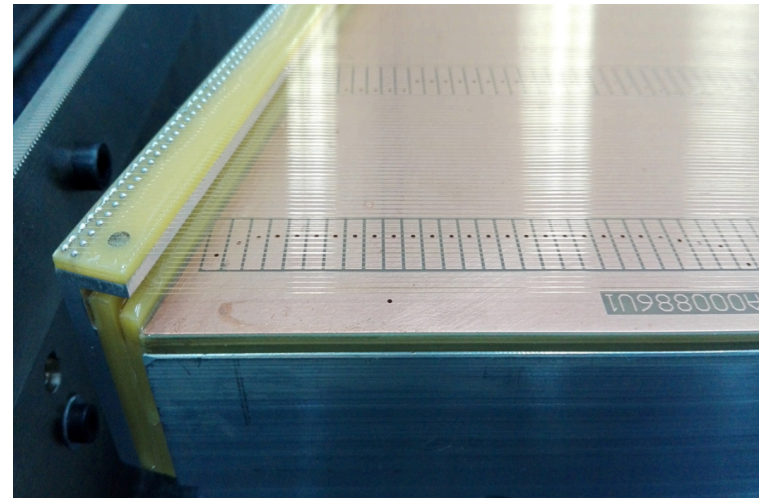
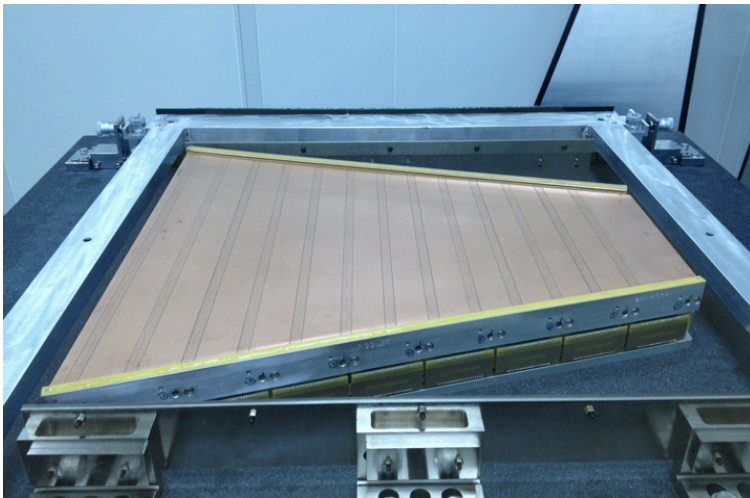
Epoxy glued



Mounting the shield & gated wires

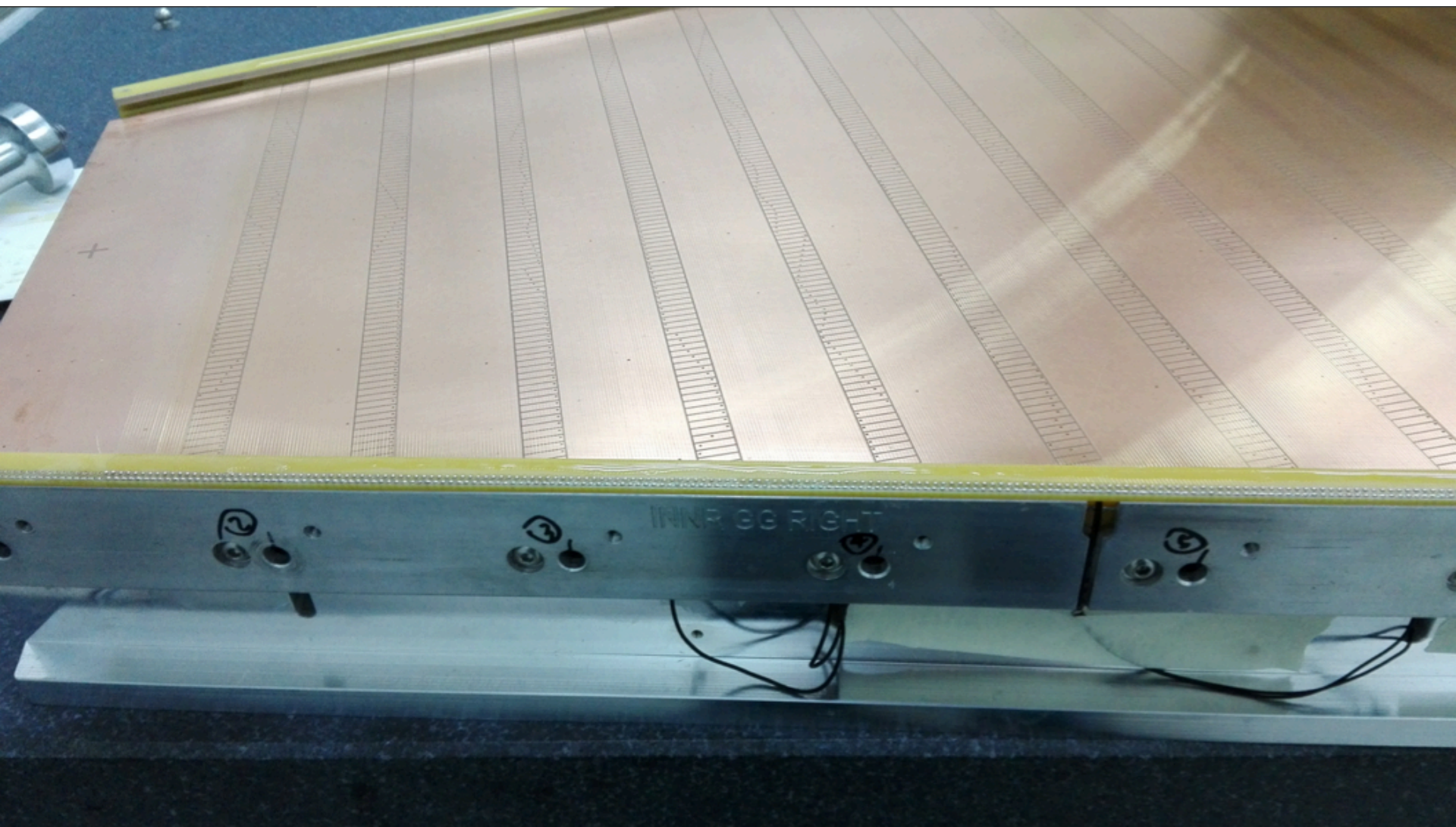


Shield wire plane epoxied and soldered

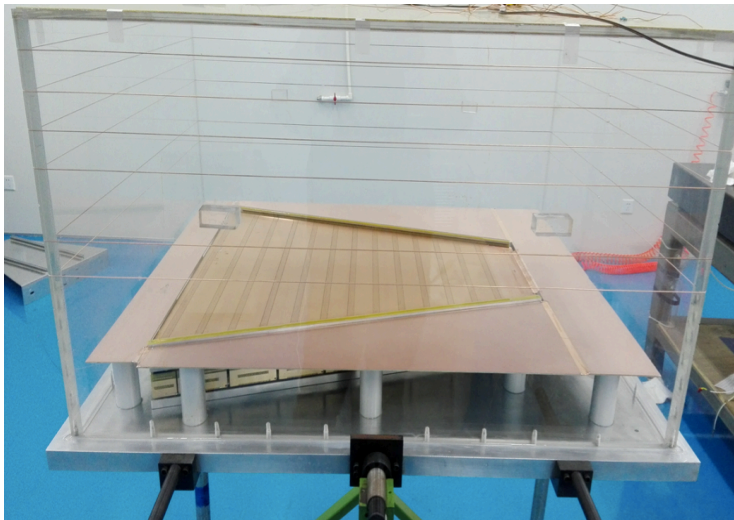
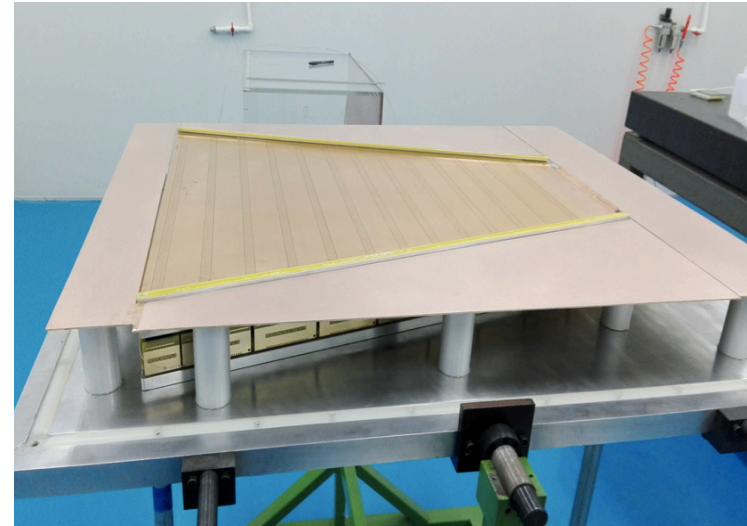
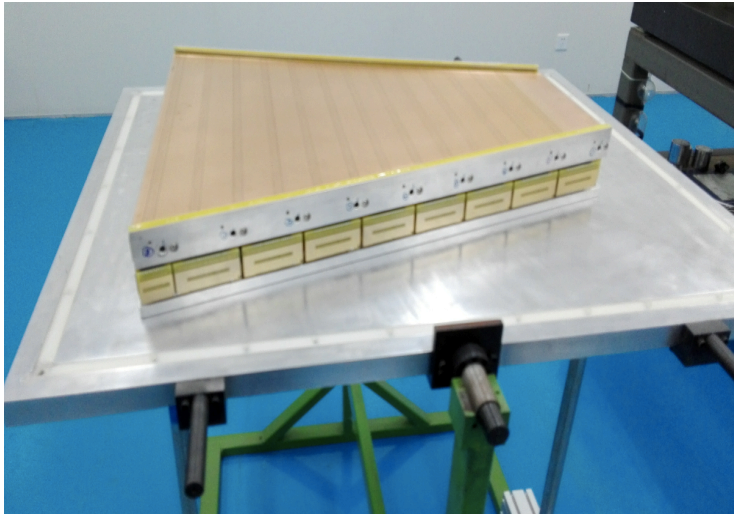


Gated wire plane epoxied and soldered

Gated wire soldered (681 solder points)

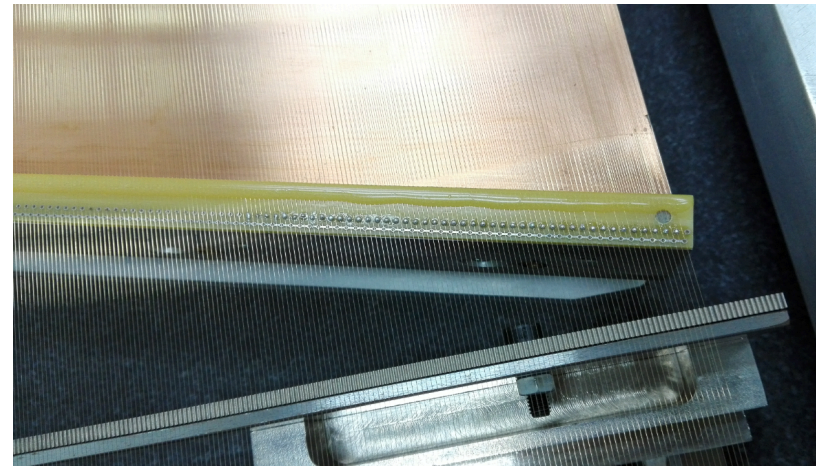
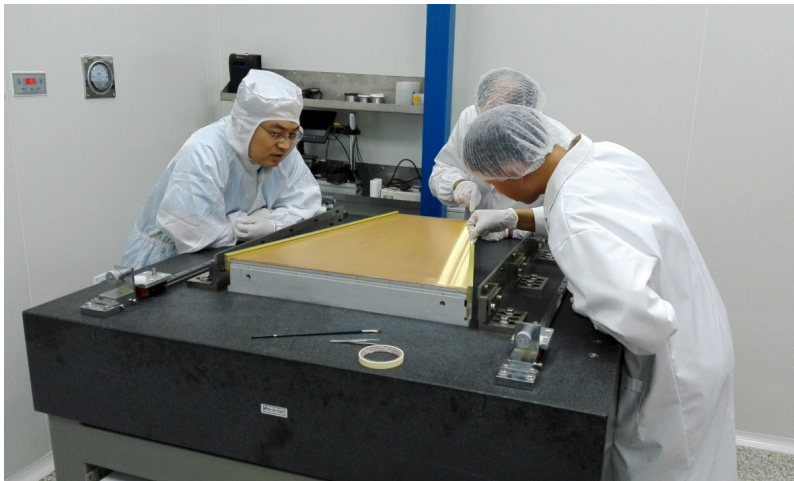
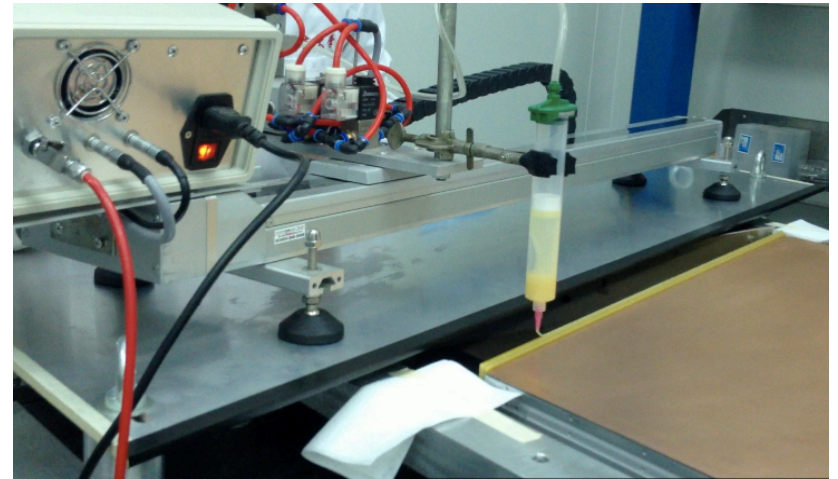
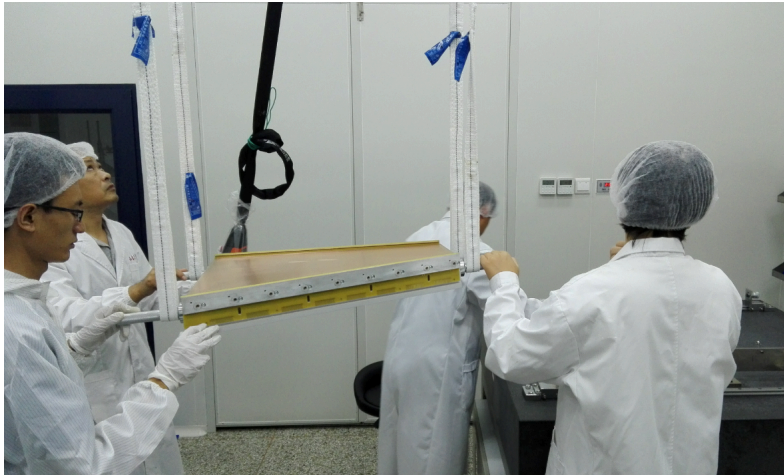


Sector in a Chamber



Sector in the chamber

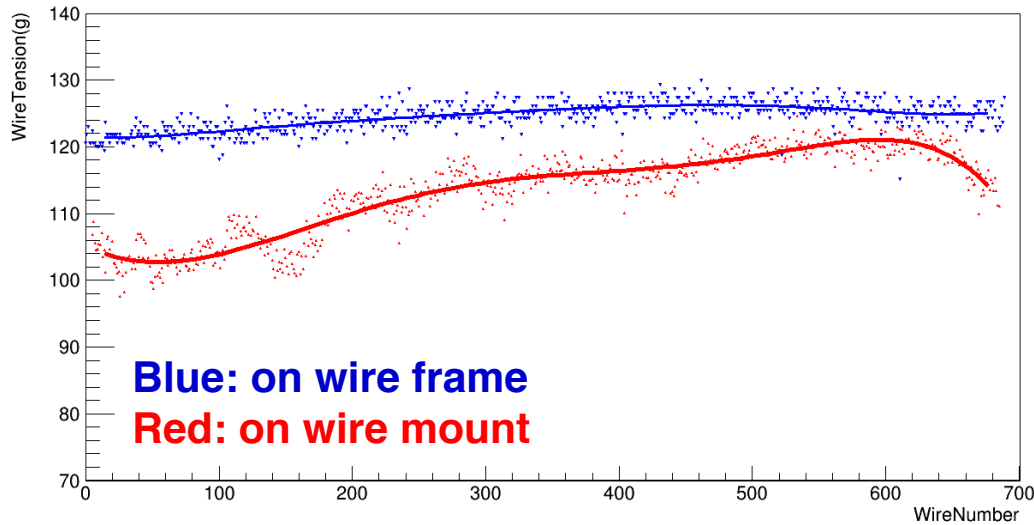
Practicing MWPC & assembly this summer



-Practiced twice the whole procedure of mounting 3 layers of wire using plane pcb, strongback, side wire mounts produced in China (not official)

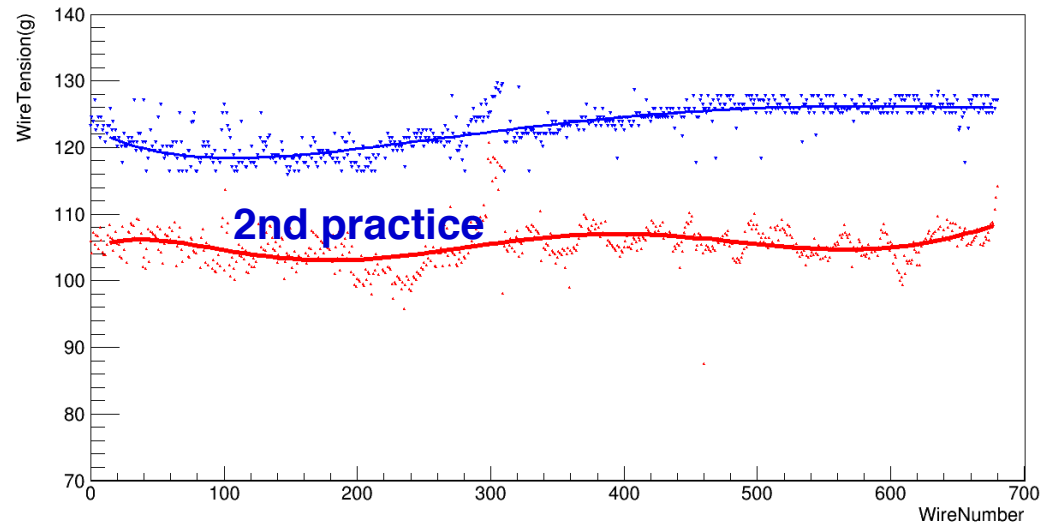
Shield wire tension before & after mounted on sector

Comparison of experimental data



1st practice

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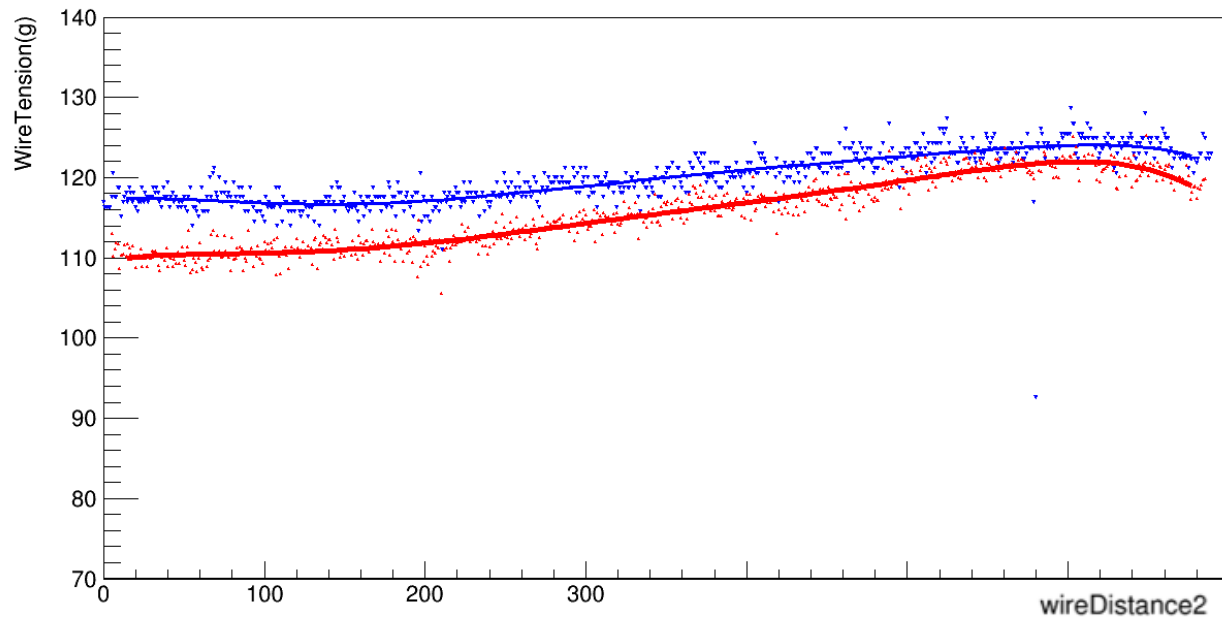


10~20g tension reduction,
need further investigation

-Assembly Practice

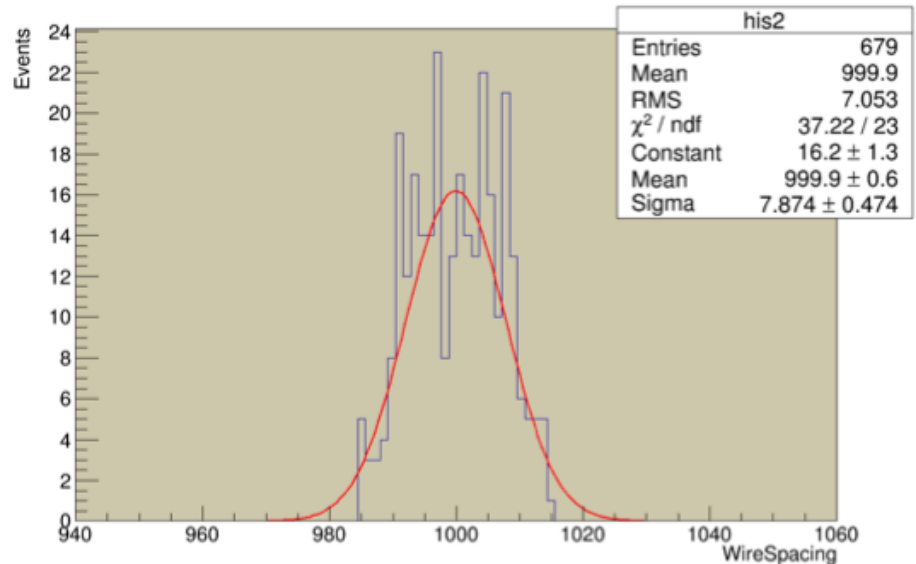
Gated wire tension before & after mounted on sector

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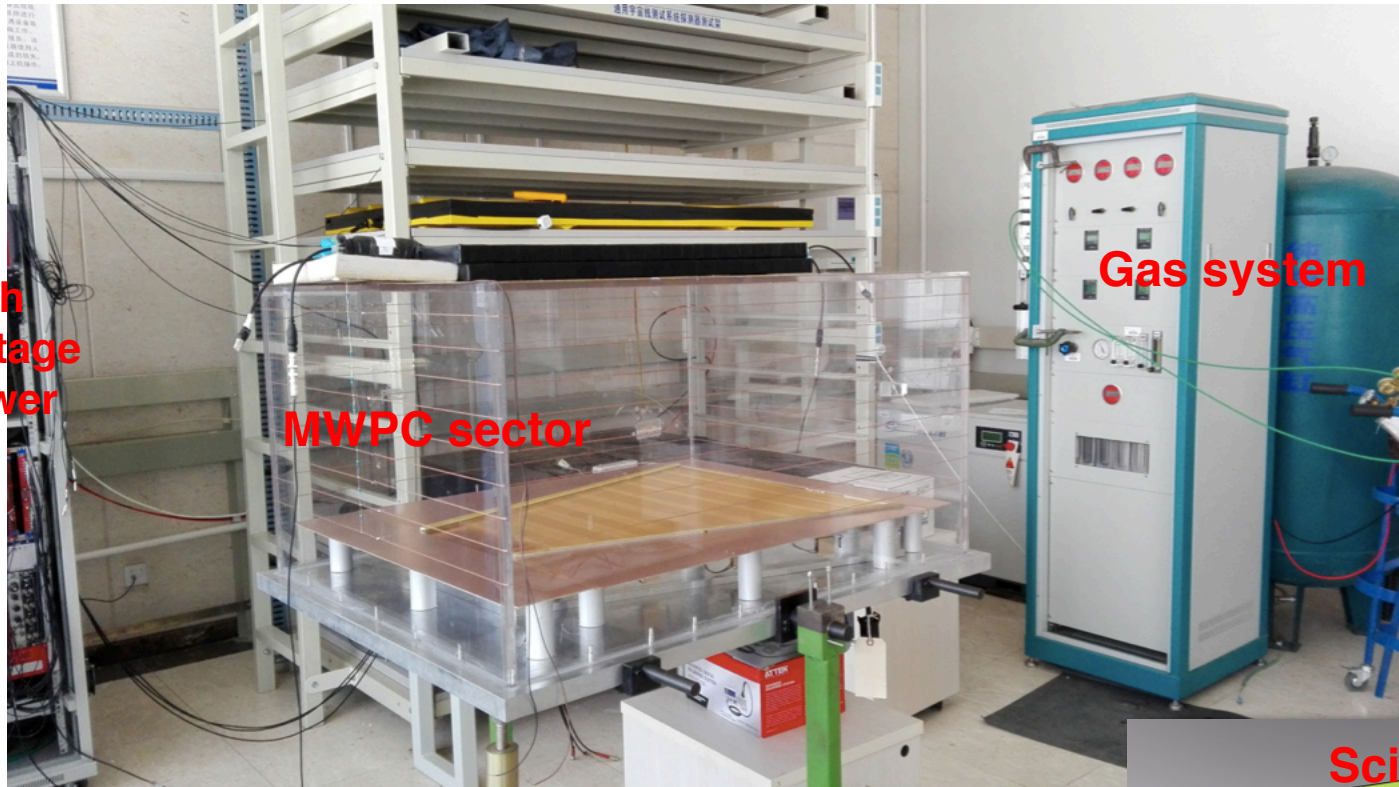


- Need to further monitor the tension after mounted in further prototyping with final strongback & wire mounts
- The wire pitch remains good precision (10um)

-Assembly Practice



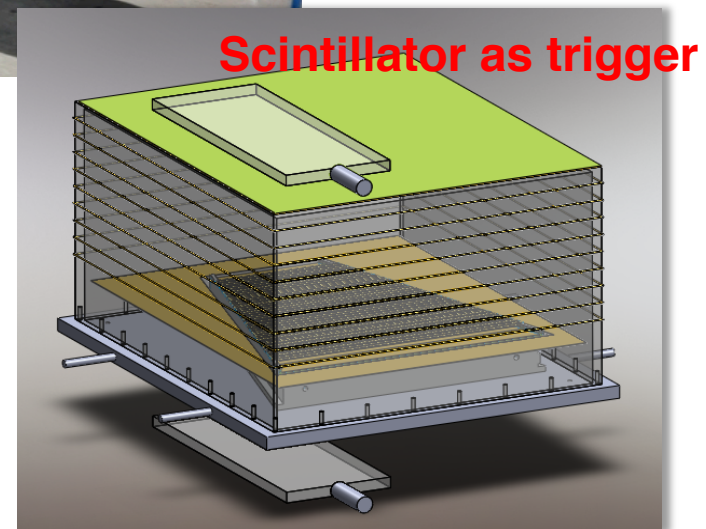
Test system (cosmic ray) with STAR DAQ system



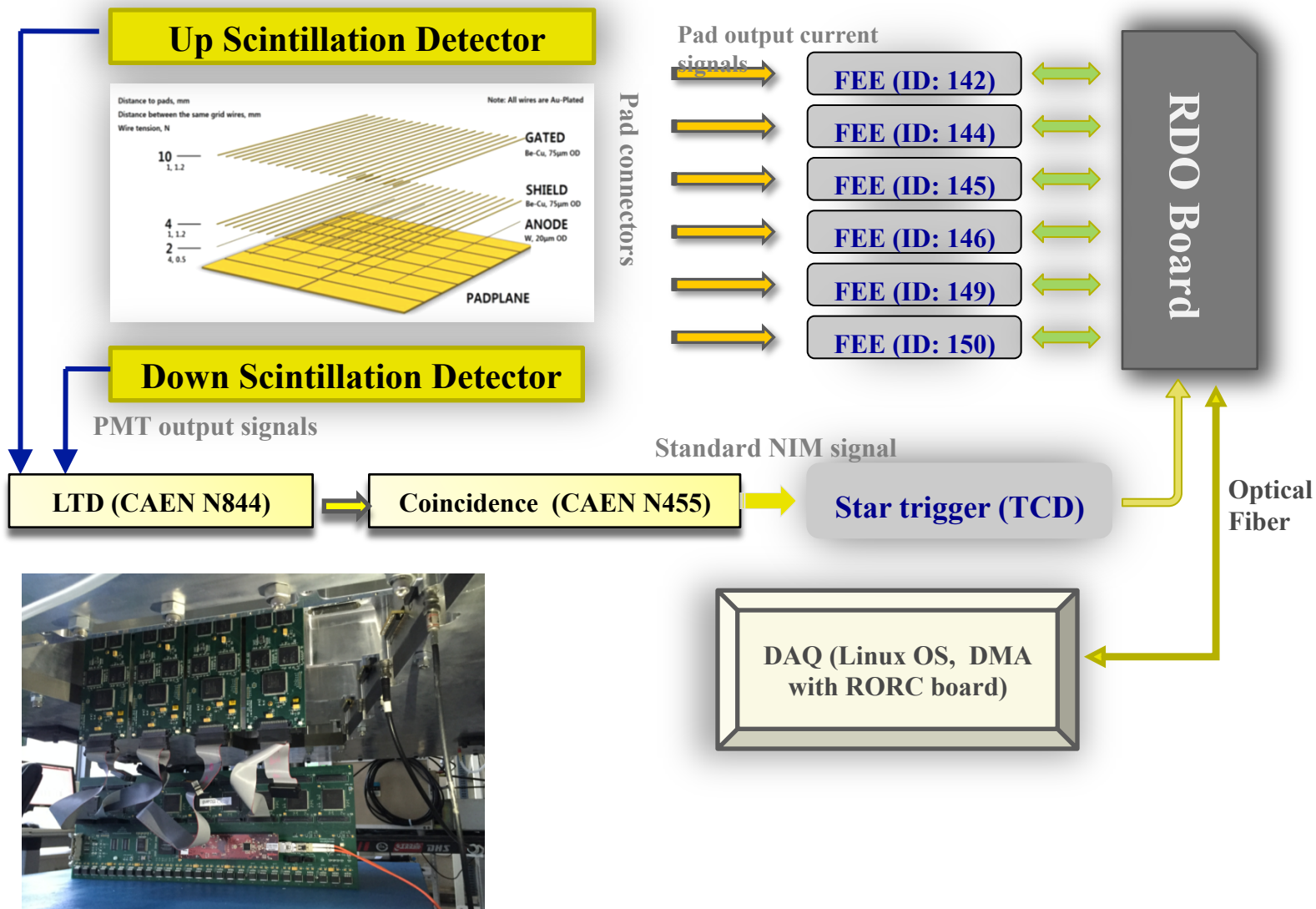
A testing system has been built based on STAR DAQ.

Cosmic ray was first used.

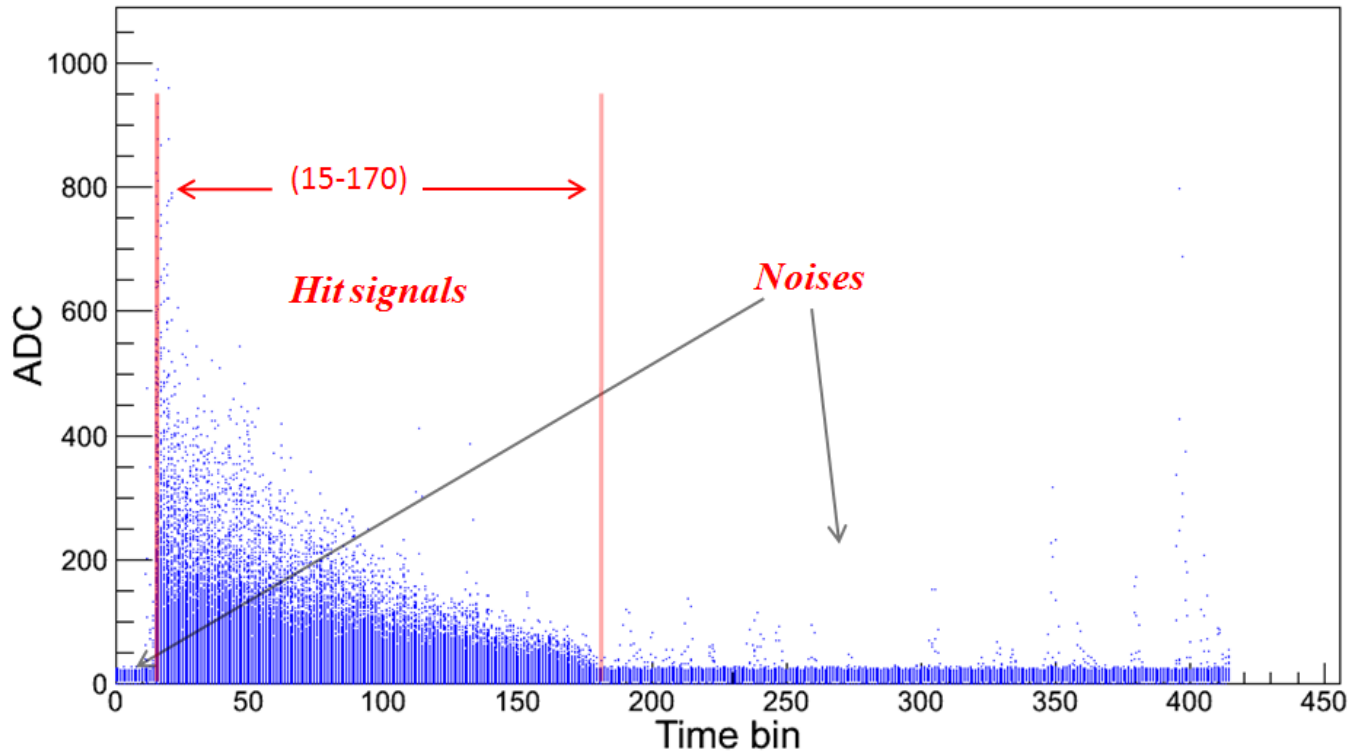
Testing based on ^{55}Fe and X-ray source has been processing for gain scan



The electronics and DAQ system for the iTPC test

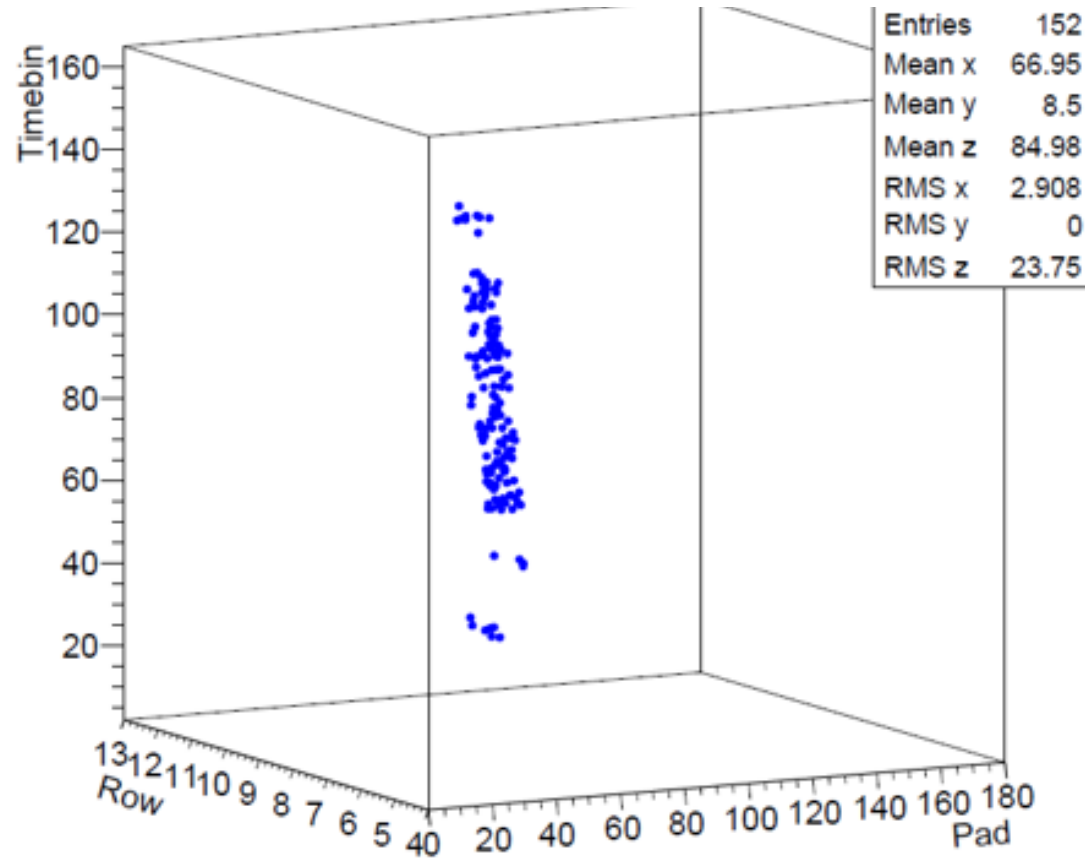


Time bin information



- Signals appear around time bin 15-170 , -> drifting time is ~155 time bins
- All time bin(0-413) with noises even 15-170 but 414-434, and most of ADC < 20
- Time bin 15-170, higher ADC appears in smaller time bins

Hints of a track



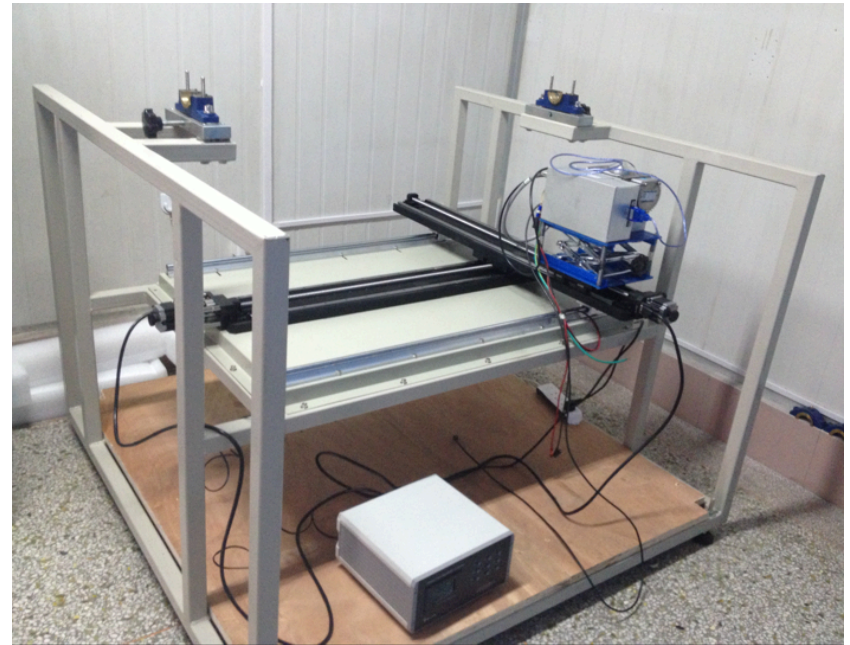
Clustering to find a hit is underway

Testing system for mass production

- 2D movable X-ray system for gain scanning
 - Fe55 and X-ray ready
 - setup to be completed in Sep.



Test chamber: 5cm drifting length



Testing plan for mass production:

- Sector burn-in and leak current
- Quantity to check with HV:
 - ✓ Efficiency (pad response)
 - ✓ Gain uniformity (wire scan using Fe⁵⁵ source)

Time cost per sector for mass production

- 2~3 weeks for detector assembly, 1 week for test

	items	Time cost (day)
Inspection	Inspection & check	1
Assembly	Anode wire mounting	4
	Shield wire mounting	3
	Gated wire mounting	4
Testing	HV burn-in	1
	Efficiency	2
	Gain & uniformity	2

- One day for inspection & checks for pad plane and side wire mounts
- Above estimate based on modern epoxy Araldite 2011/AB (24h) -> **12 days** in total
- Original epoxy (Epon 826+Versamid 140, 40h) will add 3 days -> **15 days** in total

Production plan & schedule

Sector arrival from LBL

3.6.6	Production	408 days	Tue 3/21/17	Thu 10/25/18	#
3.6.6.1	Assemble with MWPC	90 days	Tue 3/21/17	Mon 7/24/17	#
3.6.6.2	Test	84 days	Mon 4/10/17	Thu 8/3/17	#
3.6.6.3	Ship to BNL	20 days	Fri 8/4/17	Thu 8/31/17	#
3.6.6.4	First 6 modules at BNL	0 days	Thu 8/31/17	Thu 8/31/17	#
3.6.6.5	Assemble with MWPC	90 days	Tue 7/25/17	Mon 11/27/17	#
3.6.6.6	Test	84 days	Mon 8/14/17	Thu 12/7/17	#
3.6.6.7	Ship to BNL	20 days	Fri 12/8/17	Thu 1/18/18	#
3.6.6.8	Nextt 7 modules at BNL	0 days	Thu 1/18/18	Thu 1/18/18	#
3.6.6.9	Assemble with MWPC	90 days	Tue 11/28/17	Mon 4/16/18	#
3.6.6.10	Test	84 days	Mon 12/18/17	Thu 4/26/18	#
3.6.6.11	Ship to BNL	20 days	Fri 4/27/18	Thu 5/24/18	#
3.6.6.12	Next 6 modules at BNL	0 days	Thu 5/24/18	Thu 5/24/18	#
3.6.6.13	Assemble with MWPC	90 days	Tue 4/17/18	Mon 8/20/18	#
3.6.6.14	Test	84 days	Mon 5/7/18	Thu 8/30/18	#
3.6.6.15	Ship to BNL	20 days	Fri 8/31/18	Thu 9/27/18	#
3.6.6.16	Last 7 modules at BNL	0 days	Thu 9/27/18	Thu 9/27/18	#

Last 7 ship to BNL

Production procedure – strictly being followed



iTPC Production Procedure

iTPC 丝室制作流程



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Traveler example:

TRAVELER S-19

NOTE: This is a Batch traveler

注意：这是一个批处理检验文档。

SHIELD WIRE MOUNT ASSY, LEFT, DIMENSIONAL CHECK 左侧地丝落丝配件，尺寸检验

SHIELD WIRE MOUNT ASSY, LEFT, INNER SECTOR, dwg # 24A4564

Amount: _____ each

左侧地丝落丝配件，内扇区，dwg # 24A4564

总计：_____/每个

After answering each of the following questions please initial your name. 完成下列检查后请签名。

VISUAL INSPECTION 外观检验

1. Is there excessive squeezed out epoxy?

有无被挤压出的过多的环氧树脂胶？

Yes____, No____

2. Are there epoxy drips on the shield wire mount?

有无胶滴落到地丝落丝件上？

Yes____, No____

3. Is there any epoxy on the top of the insulation board??

有无环氧树脂胶在绝缘板上？

Yes____, No____

IF THE ANSWER TO ANY QUESTION ABOVE IS YES BAG AND TAG ASSEMBLIES with "REJECTED-VISUAL" AND

NOTIFY COGNIZANT ENGINEER

如果任何上述问题的答案是 YES 收起配件并打上“驳回-外观”的标签，同时通知相关的工程师。

DIMENSIONAL INSPECTION 尺寸检验

4. MEASURE all Shield wire mount assemblies

Do all assemblies conform to their Dimensions and Tolerances shown on the appropriate drawing?

SHIELD WIRE MOUNT ASSY, LEFT, INNER SECTOR, dwg # 24A4564

测量所有地丝落丝件

是否所有地丝落丝件的尺寸和公差都符合相关图纸中所示？

左侧地丝落丝配件，内扇区，dwg # 24A4564

Yes____, No____

Tag any Assembly that is out of Spec with "REJECTED-DIMENSIONS"

把任何不合要求的配件标注“驳回-尺寸”

INSTRUCTIONS 说明

If item 4 is marked NO, tag the assembly "REJECTED" and mark below and place it in "reject storage". If item 8 is marked

YES, attach this inspection record and place the assembly in "to-be-cleaned storage".

如果问题 4 答案是 NO，把配件标注“驳回”，在下面标注并把它

放入“驳回储存区”。如果问题 4 答案是 YES，附上此检验记录并把配件放入“待清洁”储存区。

Engineer's signature

工程师签名_____

Inspection date

检验日期：____/____/201____

Inspector's signature

检验员签名_____

Inspection date

检验日期：____/____/201____

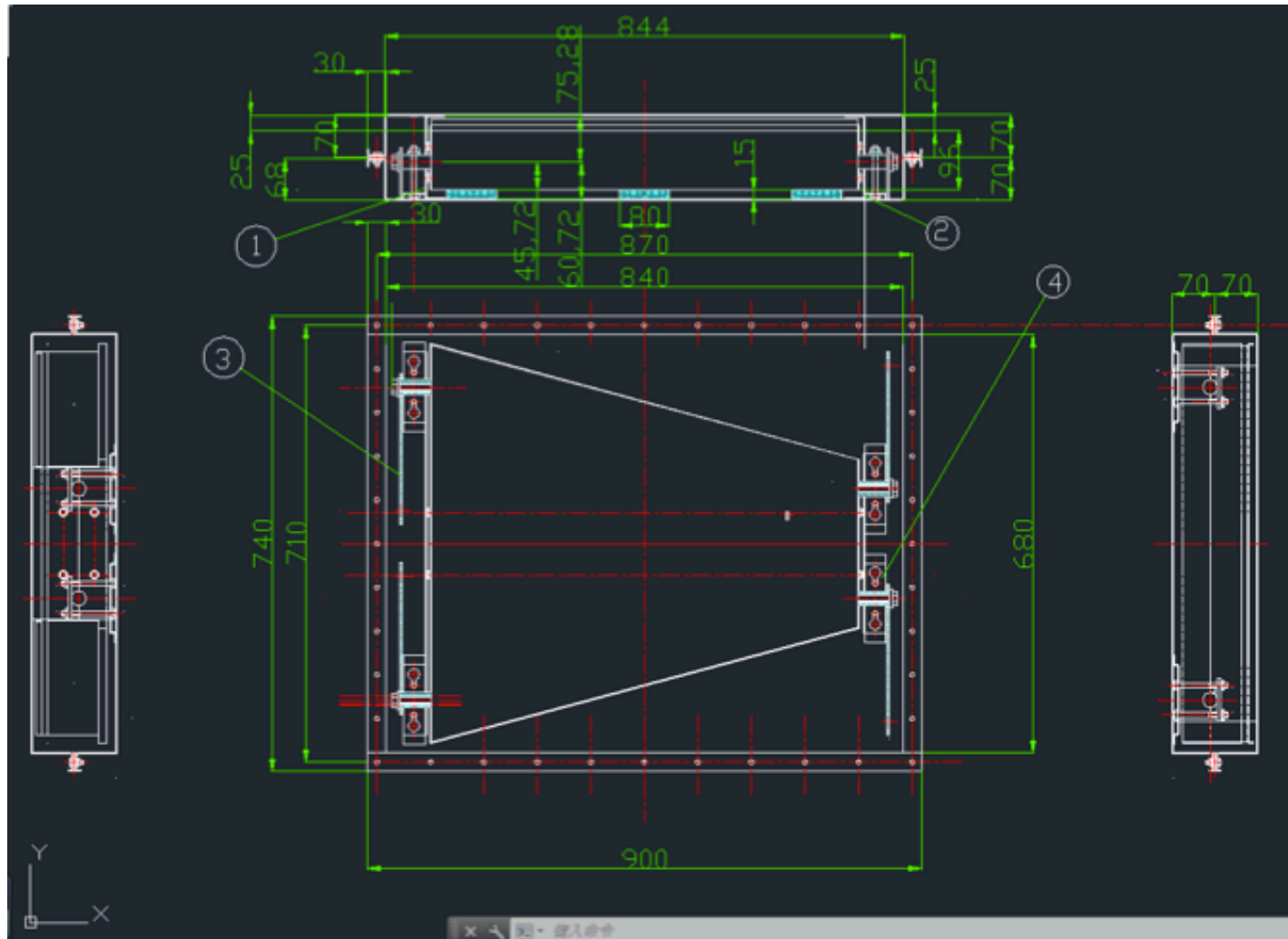
PASS 通过_____

REJECTED 驳回_____

Risks and mitigation

- **Dust/fiber on wire plane, which may lead to spark for the sector**
-> **build clean room for both wire winding and tension measurement**
- **Broken wire or sector damage during shipping from China to BNL**
-> **build shipping box with safe design, make tests before shipping**
- **Broken wire during detector assembly**
-> **replace the wire if possible, if not, then remove all the wire plane and redo the wire mounting**

Shipping box design underway



Summary

- **Funding secured for prototyping and production of MWPC.**
- **Related tools & fixtures for production designed. QA procedure is designed.**
- **The 1st pre-prototype finished. The setup of test/DAQ system is underway for cosmic ray & Fe55, X-ray.**
- **There was 1st internal review for MWPC on Aug. 3; collaboration review planed in ~late October.**
- **The mass production will be ready in Jan 2017.**

Notice of MoST funding : 2013.10

科学技术部文件

国科发基〔2013〕627号

科技部关于国家重点基础研究发展计划2014年项目立项的通知

天津市、辽宁省、吉林省、上海市、江苏省、浙江省、山东省、湖北省、湖南省、重庆市、四川省、云南省、陕西省、新疆自治区、宁波市、厦门市科技厅（委、局），深圳市科技创新委，教育部、工业和信息化部、国土资源部、农业部、卫生计生委、中科院、气象局、中医药局办公厅（室），总后勤部卫生部、总装备部司令部，各有关单位：

国家重点基础研究发展计划（以下简称973计划，含重大科学研究计划）2014年项目申报评审工作已经结束。为贯彻落实《国家“十二五”科学和技术发展规划》，加强面向国家战

略需求的基础研究，经研究，决定批准973计划农业科学等9个领域91个项目、蛋白质研究等6个重大科学研究计划40个项目以及青年科学家专题32个项目立项（项目清单见附件）。

根据973计划工作安排，这批项目将于2014年启动实施。请各有关单位按照973计划管理办法和经费管理办法的要求，认真做好项目组织实施的相关工作。

特此通知。

附件：国家重点基础研究发展计划2014年项目清单



（此件主动公开）

2014CB745200	合成生物器件干预肿瘤的基础研究	深圳市科技创新委员会	深圳大学	慕志明
2014CB845300	不确定信息下多体导航与控制的系统理论和数学基础	中国科学院	中国科学院数学与系统科学研究院	孙振东
2014CB845400	高温高密核物质形态研究	中国科学院、上海市科学技术委员会	中国科学院上海应用物理研究所	马余刚
2014CB845500	强流高功率离子加速器物理及技术先导研究	中国科学院	中国科学院近代物理研究所	赵红卫
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2014CB845700	基于LAMOST大科学装置的银河系研究及多波段天体认证	教育部	北京大学	刘晓为
2014CB845800	伽玛射线暴与相关前沿物理研究	教育部	南京大学	戴子高
2014CB845900	核幔耦合作用与亚年代至世纪尺度地球自转及磁场变化关系研究	中国科学院	中国科学院测量与地球物理研究所	倪四道

Notice letter of NSFC funding : 2015.8

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11520101004，项目名称：RHIC/STAR时间投影室的升级和能量扫描二期的实验研究，直接费用：290.00万元，项目起止年月：2016年01月至2020年12月，有关项目的评审意见及修改意见附后。

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附件：项目评审意见及修改意见

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Agreement on Joint Research on iTPC



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Agreement on Joint Research on

RHIC/STAR-TPC detector upgrade and the experimental study on
Beam Energy Scan II
between
Shandong University & the STAR Collaboration

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III. Research Plan, Division of Labor and Timet

The project aims to study the property of QGP and to
transition in the phase diagram. We propose to achieve
inner sectors of Time Projection Chamber (iTPC) at
Beam Energy Scan phase II (BES-II) at RHIC. The
collisions at different energies. The improved accep
iTPC upgrade at STAR, resulting in an increase in
70-80%, will provide several significant improvemen
proposed quantities (including elliptic flow, multiplic
to search for the critical point.

The project will strengthen the collaboration between
USTC and SINAP) and the STAR experiment at
Laboratory, and both parties will benefit significant
succeeds. The plan for both sides is to work on t
transition in relativistic nuclear collisions, which incl
the iTPC detector upgrade and the data analysis for the

The project consists of detector upgrades and physic

Without the written consent of both parties, none of the project's common IPR
may be transferred to any third-party.

VI. Duration, Amendment and Withdrawal

The project will terminate upon completion of all research activities, which is
agreed on the date of March 5, 2015. A research partner who decides to withdraw
from the project before the above-mentioned date should notice other members of the
collaborative research at least three months before the change happens. Any
amendments to this agreement should be agreed by both parties.

VII. Legal Validity

This agreement comes into effect on Jan 1, 2016 and terminates on Dec 31, 2020.
It is made in two counterpart originals and two counterpart copies, with one of the
originals to be retained by each of the two parties and one of the copies to be retained
by NSFC and Shandong University respectively.

VIII.

Signature:

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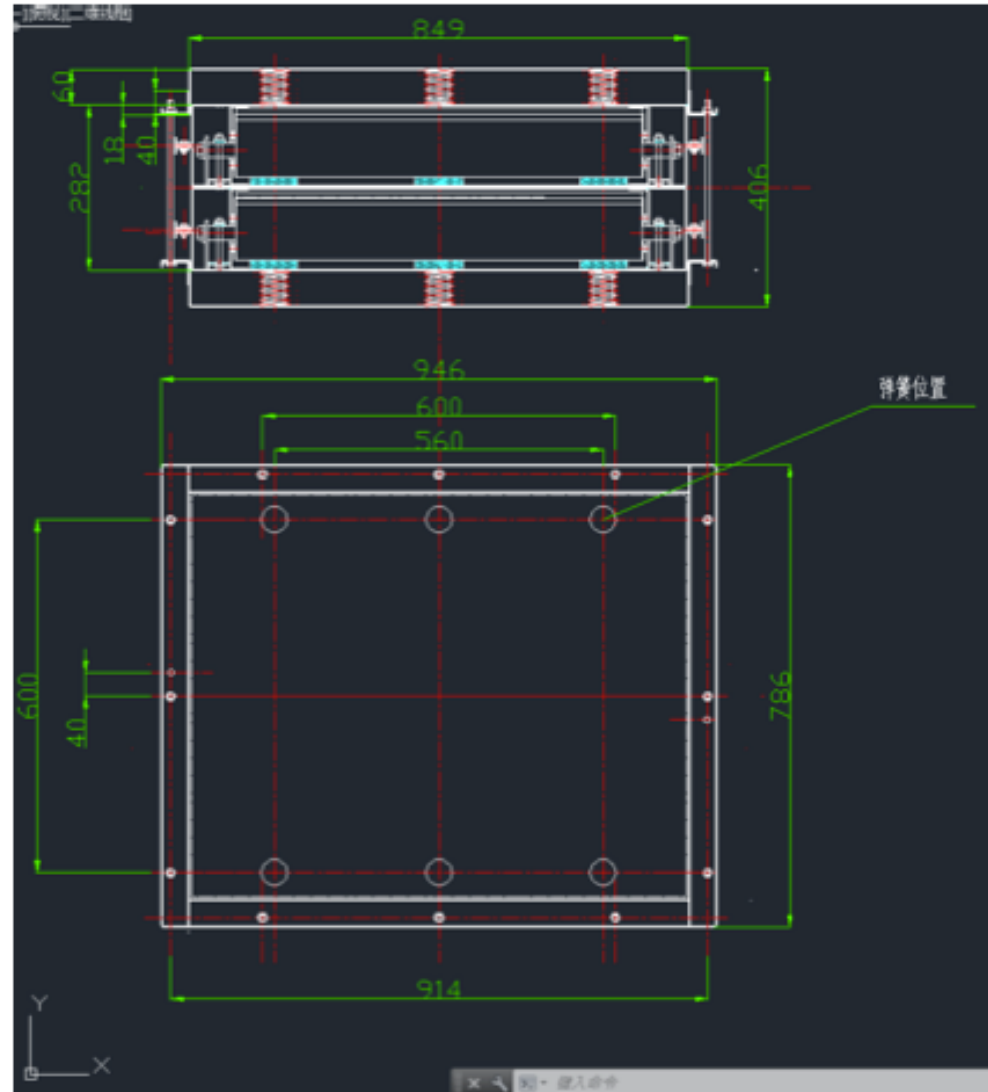
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Shipping box



MWPC production 探测器制作流程

